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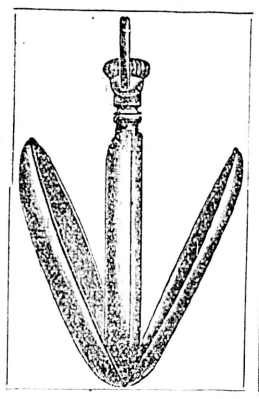

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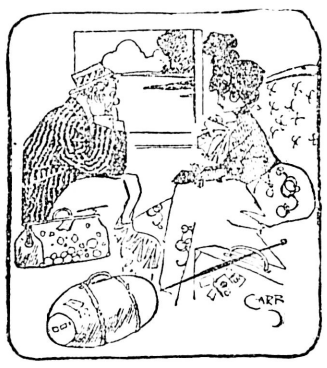

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CHARLES KENT,
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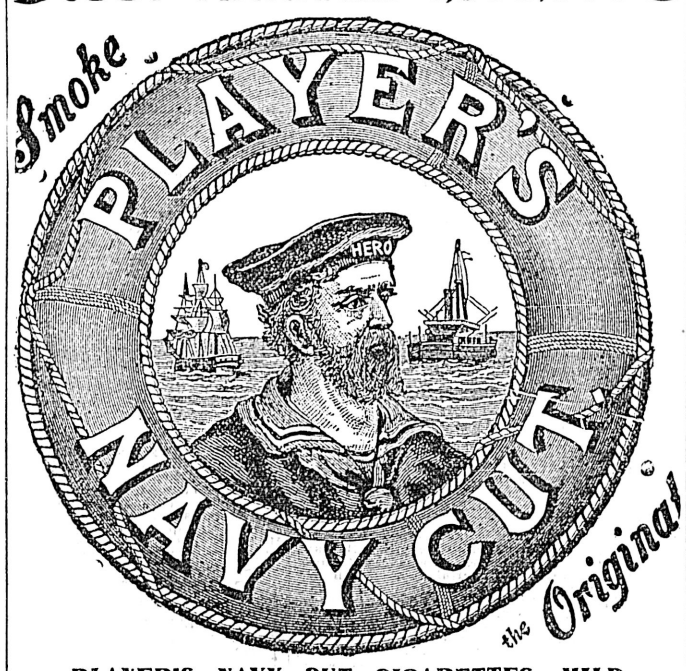

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MINISTER TO HAVANA.

Lionel E. G. Carden Appointed to Post.

London, May 19.—The appointment is announced of Lionel E. G. Carden, as minister at Havana.

Funds For Sufferers

Mansion House Relief Subscriptions For Martinique and St. Vincent.

Letters From St. Pierre Written Just Before Castastrophe Reach Paris.

They Are Calm But Seem to Show Inhabitants Feared Worst.

London, May 19.—The Mansion House West Indian Relief Fund now aggregates £25,000. Lord Salisbury has contributed £100; Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, the Canadian High Commissioner, £500; Lady Strathcona and Mount Royal, £200, and "Anonymous," per Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial secretary, £100.

Port De France, Martinique, May 19.—A party from here has gone to St. Pierre on the British cruiser Indefatigable, carrying with them coffins for the purpose of recovering the bodies of the family of Thomas T. Prentis, the late United States Consul at that place, who were killed in the disaster. The interment of the remains will take place here, and will be conducted with military honors.

The Indefatigable brought 120 tons of supplies.

There was another eruption from Mount Pelee yesterday. Ashes fell here. The volcano is still violently smoking, and there are no signs of its ceasing its activity.

The United States cruiser Cincinnati and the United States government tug Potomacs will be stationed here indefinitely.

Paris, May 19.—Martinique mails forwarded just prior to the disaster arrived here yesterday. The newspapers print a number of private letters from St. Pierre giving many details of events immediately preceding the catastrophe. The most interesting of these is a letter from a young lady, who was among the victims, dated May 3. After describing the aspect of St. Pierre before dawn, the town being lit up with flames from the volcano, everything covered with ashes and the people greatly excited, yet not panic-stricken, she said: "My calmness astonished me. I am awaiting the event with tranquility. My only suffering is from the dust, which penetrates everywhere, even through closed windows and doors. We are all calm. Mamma is not a bit anxious. Edith alone is frightened. If death awaits us, there will be a numerous company to leave the world. Will it be by fire or asphyxiation It will be what God wills. You will have our last thought. Tell brother Robert that we are still alive. This will, perhaps be no longer true when this letter reaches you." The Edith mentioned was a lady visitor, who was among the rescued. This and other letters enclosed, samples of the ashes which fell over the doomed towns. The ashes are a bluish grey, impalpable powder, resembling newly ground flour, and slightly smelling of sulphur.

Another letter written during the afternoon of May 3, says: "The population of the neighborhood of the mountain are flocking to the city. Business is suspended, inhabitants are panic-stricken, and the firemen are sprinkling the streets and roofs to settle the ashes, which are filling the air."

These and other letters seem to indicate that evidences of the impending disaster were numerous five days before it occurred.

It is difficult to understand how it was that a general exodus of the population of St. Pierre did not take place before May 8

Still another letter says: "St. Pierre presents an aspect unknown to the natives. It is a city sprinkled with grey snow, a winter scene without cold. The inhabitants of the neighborhood are abandoning their houses, villas and cottages, and are flocking to the city. The air is oppressive; your nose burns. Are we going to be asphyxiated? What has tomorrow in store for us? A flow of lava, rain, or stones, or a cataclysm from the sea? Who can tell? I will give you my thoughts if I must die"

A St. Pierre paper of May 3 announces that an excursion arranged for the next day to Mount Pelee had been postponed, as the crater was inaccessible, adding that notice would be issued when the excursion would take place.

TESTIMONY ON WATER CURE

United States Soldier Gives Evidence of Cruelty in Philippines.

Washington, May 19.—During the Philippine investigation before the Senate committee today, a letter was read from Gen. Hughes, denying that he ever gave orders for the water cure, and saying that if such a charge was made, he wanted the fullest investigation of it. Corporal Richard O'Brien, formerly of the Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, testified to seeing the water cure administered. He also said that officers violated a Spanish woman at one town. He said he was not on good terms with his captain.

"Dum dum" or explosive bullets, he said, were issued to the troops in the regular way, and did horrible execution.

"There were unwritten orders to take no prisoners," which were carried out in one campaign. He did not know who issued the orders. He admitted that he had seen many prisoners, and they were treated kindly by officers and men.

NEW SUBMARINE.

United States Adder Has Her First Trial in Fresh Water.

Washington, May 19.—The submarine boat Adder, the first of her type about ready for the government trials, made her initial run today. She went over the course several times, both on the surface and submerged. This is the first time the Adder type of submarine boat has been operated in fresh water. The longest of the submerged runs was about a mile and a half, and several of them were fully a mile. A number of short or porpoise dives were made. The runs were considered successful.

SPANISH REVIEW.

Fourteen Thousand Troops March Past the Young King.

Madrid, May 19.—The entire population of Madrid seemed to have assembled this afternoon along the broad and leafy Pazo De Praco and Pazo De Recoletos, the grand boulevard of Madrid, there to witness the great military review. The weather was beautiful. Grand stands had been erected at a central point on the line of march and from these the Queen mother, members of the royal family, the diplomats and members of the cortes witnessed the march past of 14,000 soldiers. The entire garrison of Madrid, several regiments from the provinces, and the naval detachment, which had been brought to Madrid especially for the occasion, took part in the procession.

King Alfonso in the uniform of a captain-general, and mounted upon a handsome bay charger, left the palace at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. He was accompanied by General Weyler, the Duke of Connaught, representing King Edward, the Grand Duke Vladimir, the Russian representative, and other princes and a suite of staff officers. His Majesty rode to the Pazo De Recoletos, where the troops were drawn up. As the King passed down the line the soldiers greeted him with hearty cheers. He then took up a position at the side of the grand stand, where his mother was seated, the march past began at once and lasted for an hour and a half. All the branches of the Spanish army were included in the procession of the grand review, which concluded with the gallop past of half a dozen regiments of cavalry, riding 10 horses abreast. The Queen's lancers fluttering pennants of the national colors, led the gallop past. This regiment was followed by the dragoons, and finally came the Huzzars. The latter were clad in very striking uniforms of bright scarlet, blue and cream colored material, and their short capes streamed in the wind as they careered past the King. The Hussars and the civic guard received the greatest share of the plaudits of the people. The infantrymen were sturdy, and marched with a swinging gait, but their alignment was far from faultless.

On his way back to the palace King Alfonso was greeted with hearty shouts from the people of "Viva el Rey" (Long live the King.)

Observing the King's Birthday

Next Year May Twenty-Fourth Will Be Chosen as Official Date.

Coronation Day Will Also Be Declared a Dominion Holiday.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, May 19.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier left for Arthabascaville today. The Premier will return to Ottawa about May 31. He is tired out and needs a short rest.

There will be no observance of the King's birthday in Canada this year. May 24 is now a permanent Dominion holiday, and will be observed as such throughout Canada next Saturday. There can be no change from this date. Thursday, June 26th. will also be observed as a public holiday this year. A Governor-General's proclamation making the holiday legal will be issued in due course. Some time prior to November 9, the anniversary of the King's birth, a proclamation will be issued fixing May 24, next year, on which to observe the anniversary, and so it will be observed during the King's lifetime.

The difficulty between Col. Evans and Major Merritt has been explained. Major Merritt applied to have his squadrons converted into a separate regiment and to be known as the Canadian Rangers, before the arrival of Col. Evans in South Africa. The authorities declined to take any action until they had a report from Col. Evans, and naturally when the matter was brought to the attention of the commanding officer he promptly sat upon this move.

Hon. Sydney Fisher confirms the announcement that G. F. O'Hallaran, barrister, of Montreal, is to be appointed deputy minister of agriculture in succession to the late Mr. Scarth. Mr. Hutchison, ex-M.P., has been appointed exhibition commissioner for the department of agriculture.

The Militia department was notified today through His Excellency of the following casualties in South Africa: Died from enteric fever at Potchefstroom, Albert Reynolds, of S. A. C.; His mother, Mrs. Reynolds, resides at Udney, Ont.

Mr. Carroll, solicitor-general, and Mrs. Carroll, sail for England on the 12th of June.

An order in council has been passed selecting the government's 50,000 acres of coal lands in the vicinity of Morrissey creek, in the Crow's Nest coal fields.

About 80 applications have been received from members of Strathcona's Horse for positions on the coronation contingent. Twenty-five are required. All applications come from the West except three. The list of officers for the contingent is as follows:

Lt.-Col. Pellatt, Toronto; Lt.-Col. Thompson, M.P.; Lt.-Col. Turner, Quebec; Capt. Benyon, Quebec; Sergt.-Major Fiset, Quebec; Sergt.-Major Curry, Halifax.

Cavalry—Inspector Cartwright, Mounted Police; Capt. Courtney, Quebec; Major Northup, Nova Scotia; Capt. Ramsay, Manitoba; Major Cockburn, Toronto; Lieut. Emmerson, New Brunswick.

Artillery—Major Stephens, Prince Edward Island; Capt. Martin, Fifth Regiment, C. A., Victoria.

Infantry and Rifles—Major MacKie, Pembroke; Major Cronyn, 1st district, Ontario; Capt. Dunlop, 4th district, Ontario; Lieut. MacKenzie, Toronto; Capt. Fraser, Quebec; Capt. Howard, Toronto; Lieut. Lemieux, Quebec.

FOR CORONATION.

Representatives Chosen from Duke of Connaught's Regiment.

Vancouver, May 19.—(Special)—Word arrived this evening that Policeman Sinclair, of Vancouver, and Corpl. Corbould, of Westminster, will represent the Sixth Regiment at the coronation.

HEAVY RAINS.

Bridges Carried Away in Calgary District.

Winnipeg, May 19.—One of the heaviest storms on record is reported in the Calgary district. The wind blew a hurricane and the rain fell in torrents. Numerous small bridges are reported washed away. The centre span of the Weaselhead steel bridge was carried away. The Edmonton trains are all cancelled owing to the washouts.

Minister's Stations

First Draft of Methodist Conference Is Confirmed and Made Final.

Memorial to Dominion Government—Difficulty Over Kamloops Delegates.

Storm at Vancouver Upsets Numerous Small Vessels But No one Drowned.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, May 19.—The first report of the stationing committee of the Methodist conference has been made final.

This morning a memorial was prepared to the Dominion government asking for the same treatment to Methodist missions as was given to Church of England and Roman Catholic missions.

An important ruling of church law came up. Kamloops appointed Rev. Mr. Turner delegate. Mr. Turner fell ill and could not come. The Kamloops district meeting appointed Editor Wright, of the Lillooet Prospector, in Mr. Turner's place. Mr. Wright was not allowed to act by the president, on the ground that no provision was made for seating an alternate delegate under the circumstances. This afternoon the question of investing Principal Sipprell, of Columbian college with more powers in managing the Columbian college, was discussed, and the convention heard addresses from the Nanaimo Presbyterian synod, the W. C. T. U., the Woman's Missionary society, and an address from Mayor Neelands.

A windstorm swept over the city and harbor yesterday, causing many minor accidents. Capt. Johnson, of the Capilano was caught in a skiff in English Bay in a squall, and was rescued by a passing steamer with great difficulty. Herbert Austin's yacht capsized and threw Mr. Austin in the inlet. A passing tug saved him.

Another sailboat capsized in the middle of the inlet, the occupants were saved by a tug, which put out from Moodyville.

Steamer Cassiar could not land her passengers at Van Anda, owing to the storm, and had to return with them.

The largest check ever drawn in British Columbia, was made out by Aemilius Jarvis & Co. today to the British Columbia Packers' association for $1,250,000, being the first payment on the amalgamation deal by which 50 canneries are bought out for cash and stock by Montreal ond Toronto capitalists. The check is endorsed by Henry Doyle, manager, and G. I. Wilson, seretary.

Owing to unexpected business done currently by the Dominion assay office here, and the big expected rush of gold from Klondike this season, the Dominion government have wired Manager McCafery to treble the present capacity of the plant.

EXPLOSION KILLS MANY MINERS

Disaster at Coal Creek, Tennessee Causes the Death of Hundreds.

Coal Creek, Tenn., May 19.—The worst disaster in the history of Tennessee mining occurred at 7:40 o'clock this morning, when between 150 and 250 men and boys met instant death at the Fraterville coal mine, two miles west of this town, as a result of a gas explosion. Only one is alive, and he is so badly injured he cannot live. This man was William Morgan, an aged Englishman, who was a road man in the mine, and was blown out of the entrance by the force of the explosion. One hundred and seventy-five miners were checked in for work this morning by the mine boss. In addition to these were boys who acted as helpers and drivers, roadmen and others, to the number of perhaps 50.

They had not been at work long before a terrible explosion occurred. There was a fearful roar and then flames shot from the entrance and the air shafts. News of the disaster spread like wildfire. As soon as possible two rescuing parties were started in, one at the main entrance, the other through Thistle mine, which adjoins, and in which no men were at work.

All day long the rescuers toiled at the slate obstruction, and not till 5 o'clock this evening did they force an entrance through it. Up to that hour only five dead bodies had been recovered and hope was still high that many within were safe. The hopes of the living were doomed, however, for when once the rescuers could enter and proceed they walked through a continuous tomb of death. There was not a sign of life. Every man had perished, they believed, although the search will continue.

COAL AND LUMBER.

Schooner Smith Loading for St. Michael —To Build Ludgate's Mill.

Nanaimo, May 19.—(Special)—Schooner Wm. N. Smith, Capt. E. O. Smith, arrived from Port Townsend last night. She was towed up by the tug Sea Lion, and has taken on 850 tons for St. Michael. The Smith left tonight.

Andrew Haslam has received the contract for 1,000,000 feet of lumber for the building of Ludgate's mills at Vancouver. He started today to ship over lumber, taking two scowloads with his tug Alert. The contract will call for about 20 scowloads.

KASLO DISTRICT.

Ruth Will Resume Operations on a Heavy Scale.

Kaslo, May 19.—Ore shipments through Kaslo are still light on account of the bad trails. For the last week the Rambler shipped 63 tons, American Boy 21 tons, and Whitewater 107 tons.

George Alexander, a well known mining man, largely interested in the Ruth, Antoine, Echo and other good properties, has just returned from England, where he has been several months negotiating with the principals and capitalists connected with the mines. The Ruth is to resume operations on a large scale and a heavy programme of development work on other properties is mapped out for the coming season.

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PLOT AGAINST AUSTRIAN RULER

Bomb Discovered in Railway Carriage Intended For the Emperor.

London, May 19.—The correspondent of the Daily Chronicle at Buda Pesth reports the frustration of a plot against the life of Emperor Francis Joseph.

The Emperor was recently going on a night train from Vienna to Buda Pesth. In the final inspection of the Imperial train in the terminus of the state railroad at Vienna, made ten minutes before His Majesty's arrival there, a bomb covered with paper was found in the Emperor's compartment. It was evidently calculated that this bomb would explode the moment His Majesty entered the car. An investigation of the matter led to the dismissal of several railroad employees. The greatest secrecy concerning the plot has been observed, concludes the correspondent, and the Emperor forbade the newspapers of Vienna to mention the affair.

DESOLATE ST. VINCENT.

Unhappy Island Presents a Sorrowful Scene Since Disaster.

Kingstown, Ct. Vincent, May 19.—The continued heat thrown off by the lava prevents anyone approaching the volcanic mountain. From the sea the estates of Wallibou and Richmond present a scene of desolation. They are bereft of vegetation, and all the buildings on them have been destroyed. No living being is seen, and no sound of any kind is heard. Small jets of steam issue at intervals from various spots on the plantation as a warning to visitors and the few courageous persons who have approached the locality found the earth there to be too hot to venture onward. The volcano was apparently quiet Thursday until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. At this hour a distinct discharge of steam occurred, and a bulky cloud issued from the extreme right of the mountain, verifying that a new crater had been formed on the windward side. It is presumed that La Soufriere will in the future remain active. The surrounding country will then be uninhabitable. The earth in that locality is covered with volcanic dust several feet deep.

The loss as a result of the volcanic eruption includes not only the present crops of the island, but cultivation will be impeded for some years to come.

Fears are entertained that another eruption will occur at the foot of the volcano, where steam is continually issuing from small fissures. This locality is cracked all over.

The strange color and the great depth of the new inlet of the sea on the Wallibou estate imply that an eruption occurred there, and that a new crater has been formed which extends from the land into the sea.

The sufferings of the afflicted demand more consideration than the loss of life. The torture of the victims was indescribable; many of them were literally roasted.

A further shipment of medical appliances, food and bedding arrived here yesterday. Three thousand of the afflicted are being housed and fed by the government, and the distress on the Island of St. Vincent must last for some months to come.

For over half a century "Jesse Moore" Whisky has held its supremacy as the best, purest and most palatable.

LAWN TENNIS.

Challenge From Great Britain to United States.

Boston, Mass., May 19.—It was officially announced today that confirmation by letter has been received by the United States National Lawn Tennis association of the cabled challenge of Great Britain for an international contest for the Davis challenge cup, and that the challenge had been accepted. A committee consisting of Dr. Jas. Dwight, Richard Stevens and Palmer E. Presbrey, will meet soon to select the date and place of playing.

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NEW CLUB HOUSE.

Montreal Amateur Athletic Association to Have New Building.

Montreal, May 19.—The Montreal Amateur Athletic association tonight decided to erect a new club house at a cost of $150,000.

PORTLAND SUICIDE.

Teacher in Bishop Scott Academy Shoots Himself.

Portland, Ore., May 19.—Prof. Eugene T. Schaeffer, senior master at Bishop Scott academy, a school conducted under the direction of the Episcopal church, committed suicide today by shooting himself with a revolver. His body was found sitting in a chair in one of the class rooms.

RAILWAY TROUBLE.

Discharge of Conductor at Winnipeg Leads to Dispute.

Winnipeg, May 19.—(Special)—Joseph Fahey, a well known conductor, has been discharged from the C. P. R. service, it is stated, for refusing to assist an auditor in checking the train of which he was in charge. The Brotherhood of Conductors is investigating the case and trouble is threatened.

VANCOUVER OBJECTS.

Does Not Wish Foreign Steamers Kept Away From That Port.

Vancouver, B. C., May 19.—(Special.)—The Council of the Board of Trade this afternoon passed the following resolution: That in the opinion of this council it is deemed inadvisable in view of existing conditions, to make any alteration in order-in-council allowing American steamers to call at Canadian ports.

It was decided to send a copy of the resolution to the Victoria Board of Trade.

That tired, languid feeling and dull headache is very disagreeable. Take two of Carter's Little Liver Pills before retiring, and you will find relief. They never fail to do good.

DROWNED NEAR NELSON.

Albert Mayo, a New Comer, Loses His Life.

Nelson, B. C., May 19.—(Special.)—The body of Albert Edward Mayo, a young Englishman, aged 20, was found in the water a short distance from the shore this morning. On the beach was an upset canoe. The last seen of Mayo alive was when he had visited a ranch Sunday morning to procure some groceries. He had only been in the country three weeks, and it was his first experience in a canoe. On his way back to where he was stopping at a neighboring ranch, he had evidently upset the canoe, and not being able to swim drowned within 20 feet of shore.

City firms yesterday received a contract for supplies for building a cyanidying plant at the Second Relief mine near Erie. The mine at present has a mill with a capacity of 50 tons, which does not secure enough of the gold values and the cyaniding plant will take its place.

Humors of all kinds are prolific of worse troubles. They may be entirely expelled by a thorough course of Hood's Sarsaparilla.

COLONIAL PREFERENCE.

Montreal Corn Exchange Passes Resolution Upon the Subject.

Montreal, May 19.—(Special.)—The Corn Exchange association met today to consider a quid pro quo in the matter of preference to British goods. There were present about 30 members, who unanimously without discussion, resolved: "That whereas Great Britain has lately placed an import duty on agricultural products from her colonies, as well as from other countries, and whose loyalty has been so thoroughly proven as the surest and best means of strengthening the Empire and providing for its defences; and whereas the growth of the colonies, and Canada in particular, largely depends on encouragement of their agricultural resources; the Canadian government is hereby requested to urge most strongly on the government of Great Britain the necessity and advisability of granting free entry of agricultural products of Canada and other colonies, while maintaining duties on importations from all foreign countries.

STRANGE LEGAL FIGHT.

Montreal and Quebec Struggling Over Two Yankee Sharpers.

Montreal, May 19.—There were more sensational developments in the Gaynor-Greene case today. This morning counsel for the prisoners complained that they could not see their clients, who were being kept in a private prison at the Windsor. They asked therefore that they be committed to jail so that they could see them. Mr. Macmaster at first had no objection, but in a few minutes, when he learned that a writ of habeas corpus had been sworn out at Quebec charging Governor Vallee, of the Montreal jail to produce the prisoners before Judge Rose in that city, he entered dissent. The magistrate took the matter under advisement, and later decided that a prisoner belonged in jail, and he could not keep the men out of it if they refused to pay for accommodations themselves and guards elsewhere. Consequently they went to jail. At 9:30 tonight a special train arrived from Quebec with High Constable Galeon on board, armed with a writ of habeas corpus. He at once served the document on Governor Vallee, and half an hour later the train departed for the Ancient Capital with Gaynor and Greene on board. The legal fight will be sumed today in that city.

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Meeting of City Council

Motion to Have Stone or Concrete Bridge at Point Ellice Rejected.

Mr. Topp Will Prepare Plans For Steel Structure to Proceed at Once.

The City council met last evening, His Worship Mayor Hayward presiding, and all the aldermen being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

His Worship then brought up an attack made in a letter appearing in last Fridays Times over the signature of E. Friday's Times over the signature of G. J. Bagshawe. This contained serious charges against the cemetery gardner, and also some reflections against other parties, presumably, the cemetery committee. The matter was accordingly referred.

Communications were then received as follows:

From the Deputy Minister of Marine, regarding a water lot in the upper harbor, sought to be acquired by the Victoria Marine railway. Referred to the city engineer and Ald. Yates, Grahame and Vincent.

From W. Jackson, of the Woodmen of the World, asking the patronage of the Mayor and Council at a concert to be held on June 8 (Sunday), at the Victoria theatre, when a collection will be taken up in aid of the children's ward in the Jubilee hospital. Accepted.

From James Fletcher, requesting the use of a portion of Beacon Hill park for the Gun club shoot on Victoria Day. Granted.

From Edwin Mohun, submitting an improved design for the Point Ellice bridge, the estimated cost of which was but $104,000. Laid on the table.

From W. M. Wilson, suggesting that the city lease his property required for the perfection of the water works system, at the sum of $150 a year, the rent to be applied on the subsequent purchase. Referred.

From Moore & Whittington, offering to pay one-third of the cost of the extension of the George street sewer to their property. It was decided that when they pay $100 the work will be got under way.

From Robertson & Robertson, asking the repeal of the sections of the by-law which compels bicycle riders to carry lamps at night. It was resolved to hear the reasons for this request at a conference to be arranged.

From G. W. Boyd, renewing his offer of moving pictures of the recent royal visit. Again referred to the Tourist association.

From Thos. Shotbolt, seeking permission to have his name let into the new pavement at present being constructed on Johnson street. Granted with conditions on a division.

From Usher & Weldon, of the Colonist hotel, objecting to the granting of the privilege for the sale of soft drinks on Beacon Hill, as their house was being specially prepared for a children's trade in pop. Filed and the usual custom to prevail.

From E. Jacobson, complaining of a bad smell at James Bay. Referred; the engineer being instructed to let the tide in for the days of the celebration.

From John N. Dixon, applying for the place of fixing the arc lights, vice Sergt. Lorimer, during the latter's visit to the coronation. Referred.

City Clerk Dowler reported that the following matters had been referred by him to the city engineer:

Open drain on Chatham and Lime streets, box drain on Bank street, box drain on Baronet street, plank walk on Clarence street, and several street improvements in Victoria West.

From the city solicitor advising that G. C. Mesher's claim regarding the removal of gravel from Battery street be resisted, and that the peddling of sweetments in the park, though not prohibited, is objectionable. Filed.

From the city engineer, stating that some work had been done on a Cormorant street drain, at a cost of $75.

From J. R. Tite, of the Provincial Rifle association, regarding the corporation challenge cup for the riflemen. Referred.

From the city building inspector, reporting on the cost of certain sewerage improvements at the Yates street fire hall. Referred.

From the city electrician, recommending that James Grenney be appointed fireman at the electric lighting station. Adopted.

From the same official regarding the vacancy arising through the temporary absence of Sergt. Lorimer. He was authorized to make proper arrangements.

PETITIONS.

From William Allen, of the Carpenters' union, asking that the city carpenters be permitted to observe the 8-hour day regulation lately adopted by their union. Referred.

QUESTIONS.

Ald. Graham asked if the city solicitor had reported on the Chinese clause of the Terminal Railway Companys Act? This, however, was not yet ready, but the city solicitor will bring it down next week.

Tenders were then opened for the supply of water metres, and were found to be as follows: J. L. Beckwith, $1,094.50; Wm. Bowness, $777.55 and $974; C. G. Henshaw, of Vancouver, $870.20 and $762.21; Caldwell Bros., of Tacoma, $1,116; Henry Darling, of Vancouver, $1,250. Referred to water commissioner and purchasing agent to report.

The Streets, Bridges and Sewers committee's report was then taken up seriatim. It recommends (1) that H. P. Bell, C.E., be employed to prepare detailed plans, etc., for a steel superstructure for the Point Ellice bridge; (2) that the city engineer be instructed to proceed with the construction of a concrete substructure, faced with granite ashlar, and (3) that the engineer report on the Spencer drain on Yates street.

To the first item Ald. Yates moved in amendment, Ald. Worthington seconding it, that another by-law be submitted to authorize the erection of a stone or concrete bridge at Point Ellice. This amendment was lost by a vote of 7 to 3.

Another amendment was offered by Ald. Vincent substituting the preparations of plans and estimates of the superstructure by the city engineer, for the immediate going on with that work. This was carried, and the other item of the report was also passed.

A letter from Beaumont Boggs, of the British Columbia Agricultural society, asked the council to nominate the majority of a board of management for the exhibition, and that the city assume the financial responsibility of the affair.

Ald. Yates thought that if the city had to make good the deficits, it ought, too, to have the management of the expenditures.

It was pointed out that the estimates for an exhibition this year were for income, $12,250, and for expenditure, $14,250.

Ald. McCandless said that the city could not afford to pay $5,000 for a show, and last year's exhibition cost the city $7,000.

Ald. Cameron could not see how this matter could be shouldered in the present state of affairs financially.

Ald. Vincent and Williams thought that this city should have a show, and that if a $15,000 one was too big, perhaps an $8,000 show could be made a good one.

Ald. Yates thought Victoria should have a show every year.

Ald. Cameron stated that it was not the business of the corporation to run agricultural shows; there were lots of other shows of a more pressing sort.

Ald. Kinsman felt that if the city took it up people would not contribute to its support. It would then be but a city affair and would lack support.

The Mayor suggested that the men who worked hard for it should not be expected to make up the loss.

An amendment refusing the request was then defeated on the following division:

Ayes: Ald. Cameron, McCandless, Grahame and Kinsman.

Nays: Ald. Williams, Yates, Worthington, Vincent, Barnard and the Mayor.

Another amendment was then put, offering $2,000 as the farthest limit that the city go in support of the fair, but this was voted down.

The original motion was then lost on the following division:

Ayes: Ald. Yates, Vincent, Williams and the Mayor.

Nays: Ald. Kinsman, McCandless, Cameron, Grahame and Barnard.

The matter therefore stands as before.

Copies of six by-laws were then handed around, but as the hour was late, the council adjourned till Wednesday night.

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Bartlett, Wm.	Kelly, Tom.
Beaumont, A. W.	Kendrick, E. E.
Bertram, James.	
Bradley, Miss Mable.	Miller, N. Scott.
	Murray, Jas. McV.
Cordion, A. C.	North, Chas. N.
Detchon, S. G.	
Devlin, Geo. E.	Phillips, Mrs. A.
Euer, Miss F.	Reed, A. S.
	Roos, Muss Vana.
Fenwick, L. A.	
Fraser & Prete.	Smith, Mrs. Charles.
	Smith, John.
Giles, Geo.	Squire, F. J.
Graham, Wm. N.	
Graves.	Tuck, Mrs. Saul.
Hall, Mrs. Bella.	Warren, Gus.
Harris, Wm. M.	Wilson, Mrs. L.
Hume, Tom.	Word, Miss Nellie.

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The funeral will take place today from above residence, service commencing at 2:30 p. m.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

MORAN—On 17th inst., at 219 George street, Vancouver, Mrs. Sophia Moran, aged 72 years, a native of County Antrim, Ireland.

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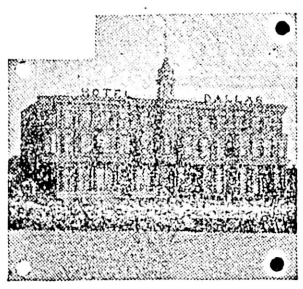

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Provincial Legislature

House Gets Down to Business and Disposes of Several Bills.

Mr. Curtis' Legislation Meets With Disfavor and Meets Defeat.

Legislative Chamber, May 19, 1902.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2:30 p.m.

Mr. Martin called attention to an erroneous report of his remarks on the Trades Union bill in the News-Advertiser, in which it was stated he had referred to certain "inflammatory telegrams" which appeared in the papers during the fishermen's strike. As a matter of fact, he had not mentioned the fishermen's strike, but he had called attention to the fact that such telegrams or articles might be published with impunity under Mr. Curtis' proposed bill. He made the explanation in order that the effect of the report in the News-Advertiser might be minimized as much as possible and to place him in a proper light before his constituents. He had denied the report in a letter to the News-Advertiser, and he took the present opportunity to deny it from his place in the House.

Hon. Mr. Prentice moved that the House proceed with the orders of the day.

Mr. Oliver submitted that the motion was out of order.

Mr. Speaker held the motion in order.

Mr. McBride proceeded to argue on Mr. Oliver's point of order, and it was ruled by Mr. Speaker that the question was not debateable.

Mr. McPhillips also argued that the debate was in order.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite said the debate was clearly out of order and asked that the business be proceeded with.

Mr. Martin also protested against Mr. McPhillips continuing while clearly out of order.

QUESTIONS.

Mr. Tatlow asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance:

1. Has the Queen Charlotte Island Railway company deposited the $5,000 required by the Queen Charlotte Islands Railway Company Act, 1901?

Hon. Mr. Prentice answered in the negative.

Mr. Curtis asked the Minister of Finance:

1. What was the overdraft of the provincial government on the 17th day of May, 1902? 2. At what bank or banks is such overdraft incurred, and how much of it at each bank? 3. What rate of interest is paid upon such overdraft, and at what intervals is it charged up to the province? 4. By virtue of what authority, act or acts, are the loans constituting the overdraft made? 5. What is the limit in amount beyond which the overdraft cannot legally, by acts now in force, go? 6. By what amounts has the overdraft, including interest thereon, increased in the months of January, February, March and April, 1902, respectively? 7. What is it now estimated that the overdraft, including interest thereon, will, on the 30th June, 1902, amount to?

Hon. Mr. Prentice replied as follows:

"1. $1,698,234 on current amount, $106,328 on dyking account.

"2. The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

"3. 4 per cent. per annum, chargeable quarterly.

"4. By the Overdraft Act, 1901, and by order in council.

"5. $198,234 in excess of the amount specified in the Overdraft Act, 1901, which is authorized by an order in council, pending the flotation of a loan, as provided by the Loan Acts, 1891, 1899 and 1901.

"6. January, $69,431; February, $25,361; March, $46,413; April, 60,960.

"7. $1,700,000 on account current; $25,000 on dyking account, provided debentures now authorized are sold."

Mr. McBride asked the government:

1. Is J. N. Greenshields, K. C., still in the service of the government?

2. If so, under what terms?

Hon. Mr. Wells said he would be prepared to answer the questions later in the afternoon.

Mr. McBride pressed his questions and moved the adjournment of the House in order to discuss the question.

Mr. Speaker held that the motion was out of order, as the question was not one of urgent public importance.

Mr. Murphy asked the Hon. the Minister of Finance the following questions:

1. Are the shares of the Columbia & Western Railway company, to the amount of $75,000, accepted (as per Sessional Papers, 1901, page 627) in lieu of the $75,000 bonds on the railway, as security for the $50,000 bond provided in the Columbia & Western Railway Aid Act, still in the hands of the government? 2. Are these shares worth in the market $50,000? 3. Has the government declared them forfeited?

Hon. Mr. Prentice replied as follows:

"1. Yes. 2. There have been no quotations. 3. No."

PRIVATE BILLS.

The following bills were reported from committee, read a tird time and passed:

Mr. Ellison—To amend the Pacific Northern & Omineca Railway Company's Act.

Mr. Garden—To amend the Vancouver & Westminster Railway Company's Act.

Mr. Hall—To incorporate the Victoria & Seymour Narrows Railway Company.

Mr. Curtis moved that the following new section be inserted in the bill amending the Vancouver & Westminster Railway Company:

The provincial government shall have the right, after 20 years from the passing of this act, provided the company's railway has not passed under the jurisdiction of the Dominion of Canada, upon giving one year's notice of the intention of the provincial government so to do, to purchase all the company's property, rights and franchises at the fair market value of its corporeal property, together with such bonus (if any) not exceeding 10 per cent. of such market value as the government may agree to pay.

Mr. McPhillips opposed the amendment as not being in the public interest and imposing a policy on a future administration.

Mr. Garden pointed out that the amendment would be perfectly useless, as that road would fall under control of the Dominion government as soon as completed.

Mr. Curtis' amendment was defeated.

THIRD READINGS.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite's bill respecting compensation to workmen for injuries suffered in the course of their employment, was read a third time and passed.

Mr. McPhillips' bill to amend the Bills of Sales Act was also read a third time and passed.

TRADES UNIONS.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite resumed the debate on the second reading of Mr. Curtis' bill Respecting Actions against Trades Unions and Kindred Associations. He said the bill was one of the most important measures, from a labor point of view, and the House should use the utmost care in considering its provisions. The principle of the bill was contained in clause 2, which was so strongly urged upon the favorable considerable of the House by Mr. Curtis, and just as warmly opposed by Mr. Martin. It was argued that labor had no right to special legislation, but he pointed out that capital had obtained such legislation, and it was only fair that the workingman's rights should be properly safeguarded. He did not think the general provisions of the bill objectionable, but exception might be taken to clause 2. He suggested that a compromise might be arrived at with profit, and urged that course upon the mover of the bill and its opponents.

Mr. Neill said he would support the bill if clause 2 be struck out.

Mr. Murphy agreed with Mr. Neill.

Mr. McPhillips declared that he could not support the bill. He believed in following British legislation. A bill had recently been introduced in the Imperial Commons, but, as far as he knew, it had gone no further. He thought it would be time enough to consider such legislation when the British House had passed upon it. He read an article from the London Times criticizing the proposed law, showing that it was regarded as a dangerous example of attempted class legislation. He did not believe the trades unions were actuated by improper motives, but were merely anxious to secure every possible privilege for their members; but they, like all other individuals or combinations, were liable to err, and it would be a mistake, without the most serious consideration, to place a weapon in their hands which might be very improperly used. He warned the House against being too hasty in adopting legislation which might seriously affect the investment of capital in the province. There was no crying demand for such a law and it would be quite safe to await the action of the British House of Commons.

Hon. Mr. Eberts declared himself decidedly opposed to the bill. Mr. Curtis had undertaken to review the history of legislation affecting trades unions, but had not gone far enough. He (Mr. Eberts) then made a masterly exposition of the question, quoting statutes, opinions of judges and public men, reports of select committees of parliament and recent English decisions, all going to shew that the proposed bill was incompatible with British ideas of justice.

The real object of the bill was to protect a foreign labor organization, an importation from the United States, the Western Federation of Miners, which had done so much mischief at Rossland. Mr. Curtis was acting in the interest of that body, which had no legal standing in Canada, being registered at Denver, Colorado. He did not mean to say Mr. Curtis was retained by the Federation, but the provisions of section 5 relieving those people of liability in an action now before the courts appeared to him very significent. The bill was the worst ever presented to a legislature. It would be most disastrous to the workingmen and destructive of the best interests of labor. It would permit foreign combinations to procure the commission of crime and outrage in the province while they would have their funds so protected that the victims of their wrongdoing would have no redress against them.

Mr. Curtis interrupted continually in defence of his bill.

Hon. Mr. Eberts declared he would not be a party to such outrageous legislation. He cited the Northport outrages, which were a shame and disgrace to any civilized country, as a sample of what might occur under such a law. He agreed with Mr. McPhillips that it would be time enough to legislate in the direction of the bill when the labor conditions of the country demanded it; meantime they might profitably await the course of Imperial legislation. He would consider the House and the province disgraced if the bill were made law.

Mr. Helmcken moved the adjournment of the debate.

ASIATIC LABOR.

Mr. Helmcken moved the second reading of a bill relating to the employment on works carried on under franchises granted by private acts, which was agreed to.

The bill provides that no workman shall be employed on works undertaken under authority of any charter granted by the legislature unless he can read the act in a language of Europe. The penalty against the employer is a fine not exceeding $25 nor under $10 for each workman employed in contravention of the act.

SUPREME COURT.

Mr. McPhillips' bill to amend the Supreme Court Act was read a second time.

CATTLE RUNNING AT LARGE.

Mr. McPhillips moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Animals Act. The bill provides that no cattle shall be allowed to run at large upon any unfenced land, street or road, within three miles of the limits of any city municipality having a population of 10,000 or more. He explained that the bill would only apply to the city of Victoria.

Messrs. Neill and Martin opposed the bill on the ground that it would create a hardship to milkmen and others living in the suburbs. Residents of cities had their redress under the law by having stray cattle impounded. Mr. Martin moved that the bill be read this day six months.

Mr. McPhillips again urged the second reading. He held that the matter was one of importance to residents of Victoria, and he asked the consideration of the House.

Mr. Hayward also opposed the bill. He saw no reason why suburban residents should not have to fence their lands as well as those living further out in the country.

Mr. Oliver opposed the bill on similar grounds.

Hon. Mr. Eberts said the bill was very necessary in Victoria. It was notorious that cattle were continually allowed to run at large to the inconvenience and damage of residents of the suburbs. The bill was so worded as only to apply to Victoria, and it would work no hardship to anyone, but would put an end to much annoyance and damage to property.

The second reading was defeated on a vote of 13 to 15.

YOUTHS PROTECTION ACT.

Mr. McPhillips moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Youths' Protection Act. He explained that the proposed amendment provided that no liquor should be sold to any person under the age of 18 years, and no tobacco to persons under the age of 16. In Ontario the age was placed at 21 years. He hoped the bill would have the unanimous support of the House.

Mr. Martin supported the bill. He would go further, however, and make it unlawful for any person to smoke on the street or in public places.

Mr. Helmcken was warmly in favor of the bill. He dwelt on the importance of dissuading boys from contracting bad habits and paid a tribute to the J. B. A. A. as an example of sober, well behaved young men. He would like to see the manufacture of cigarettes prohibited in Canada. He considered the bill very much in the interests of the public.

Mr. Oliver also supported the bill.

The second reading then passed.

STAVE LAKE POWER.

Messrs. Gifford and Garden called attention to the fact that portions of the correspondence regarding the Stave Lake Power company was not included in the return brought down.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

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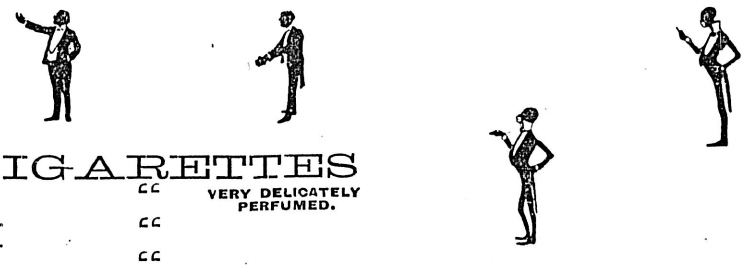

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PROVINCIAL CREDIT.

We notice that British Columbia 3 per cent. inscribed stock stands on the London market 94 at 96, and that business was done on the 2nd of May at 95. This seems to be a rather better price than Great Britain is getting at present for 2½ per cent. stock although the dates of redemption and different classes of stock make any comparison based on actual quotations slightly inexact. However, it is quite clear that British Columbia is not going into bankruptcy for some time at least. It is also evident that we can secure all the money we require to develop the country upon very reasonable terms. If money invested by the government in developing the country will not directly and indirectly bring in more than 4 or 5 per cent. then the government either does not know how to invest it, or the country is not worth developing at all. We have great revenue producing resources in this province in our timber, iron, coal, fisheries and metalliferous mines. They only require transportation facilities, and the country can well afford to go heavily in debt to provide these facilities. If on money borrowed at something under 3 1-5 per cent. we can earn 6 per cent. in increased revenue, we are lightening the per capita burden of taxation and increasing the realized and utilizable wealth of the province.

OLALLAITES.

We think that if there are any Olallaites left in Victoria they will creep under cover after this final exposure for which, as well as some previous information, we are indebted to Mr. B. H. Hurst, of this city. We reproduce Mr. Hurst's letter with the accompanying clipping from the San Francisco Call:

Editor Colonist:

Sir,—Having noticed your remarks, and contributed information thereto, regarding the Olalla Mining Co., which is "run" by the Albert E. Hall Co., of New York, I enclose a clipping, which may not only be of interest to you, but also to those who are in favor of that remarkable company which owns 97 gold and copper mines.

B. H. HURST.

The members of the Salvation Army and the public in general have been warned by Commander Frederick Booth-Tucker not to have anything to do with the "oil and mining enterprises" conducted by former officers of the army, under the name of the "Albert E. Hall Company," with offices in New York City.

The men who were formerly affiliated with the Salvation Army and who now have schemes to "get rich quick" for the public are William J. Brewer, Carl Hillstedt, William Halpin, and W. Winchell. The companies they have promoted are "The International Zinc Company," "The Great Republic Gold Mining Company" and "The Consolidated Oil Lands."

Brewer began his stock operations about eighteen months ago, when he was editor in charge of the various newspapers published by the Salvation Army in New York City. He secured the assistance of the other officers named and worked assiduously to dispose of stock among the rank and file of the Salvationists.

When the business operations of Brewer were discovered, Commander Booth-Tucker insisted that his subordinate should give up his stock dealings or leave the army. Brewer was not prepared to do as he was asked and his resignation was demanded.

When Brewer resigned the officers associated with him in his promotion schemes followed him, and with the aid of Albert E. Hall, a printer, a company was formed under the title of the "Albert E. Hall Company." Suites of expensively furnished offices were taken in New York City and literature was sent out broadcast.

In some of the magazines for the present month, "The Albert E. Hall Company" has glowing advertisements and tells of the wealth that awaits investors in its mining, smelting and oil companies.

In a recent statement issued by Commander Booth-Tucker as to the mining and oil operations of Brewer and his associates, the head of the Salvation Army says:

"I desire to state that these transactions have our utmost disapproval and that as nearly as we can learn they are an absolute imposition upon the purchasers."—San Francisco Call, March 15, 1902.

The point to which we wish to draw attention first is that W. J. Brewer, president of the Olalla company and Albert E. Hall, the president of the Albert E. Hall company, are members of the same gang. The collusive nature of the two companies is abundantly established. Everyone remembers the exposure of Brewer and his gang in connection with the Salvation Army in New York. But it never occurred to us to connect this gang with the Olalla Copper company. What did occur to us, however, was that the tone and style of the Olalla company's advertisements were very reminiscent of an old, but not highly esteemed acquaintance of ours, Dr. J. Grant Lyman. It looked as though the worthy doctor must be "the nigger in the wood pile"; but here again, the connection was not obvious. We have followed the career of Dr. J. Grant Lyman with a great deal of interest since 1896. His operations in Ontario at that time were sensational, and, to the people of Canada, highly expensive. He next bobbed up in London and Paris with "the International Zinc company." During the big stock boom in New York he flourished like a green bay tree at the expense of investors in "the International Zinc company." Dr. J. Grant Lyman has disappeared. There are now four countries where his welcome would be more than doubtful, Canada, the United States, Great Britain, and France. It is interesting to reflect that Messrs. Brewer & Co., have been in the past connected with Dr. J. Grant Lyman. They have borrowed his spirit of enterprise though we hope for their own sakes they have avoided some of the more glaring of his methods. As to the general nature of their operations we are perfectly satisfied with the statement of Commander Booth Tucker, who must have made a thorough investigation before the extreme step was taken of turning Mr. Brewer and his associates out of the Salvation Army.

The Board of Trade will hold an important meeting today at which the question of American bottoms loading freight at provincial ports for the Yukon trade will be discussed.

The members of the Opposition, including the leader, Mr. Richard McBride, who have seen fit in various debates to take up the cudgels for the Olalla Copper Mining & Smelting company, will no doubt be themselves convinced that their action in one instance at least had nothing to commend it, and that the government had the interests of the province at heart in refusing to entertain the proposals of this company.

The leading spirits in the opposition received a sharp rap over the fingers for their obstructive tactics this afternoon from Mr. Hawthornthwaite. It was the first sign, we will not say of meeting, for the member for Nanaimo never owed allegiance to the opposition, but of the apprehension and disfavor with which some of the common-sense members on the opposition benches view the obstructive verbosity of Messrs. McBride and McPhillips.

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Induction of New Rector

Interesting Ceremony at the Reformed Episcopal Church Sunday Morning.

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A very interesting service was held on Sunday when the Rev. Henry J. Wood was formally inducted by Bishop Cridge as rector of the Church of Our Lord. The ceremony was conducted at the morning service and followed morning prayer, which was read by the Bishop, and consisted of the presentation of the rector-elect to the Bishop by Churchwarden E. A. Jacob. On being received, Mr. Woods was presented with copies of the Holy Bible, the prayer book and the canons and constitution of the Reformed Episcopal church.

The Induction sermon was preached by the Rev. Wm. Miller Magrath, of St. Paul's, (R.E.) church, New Westminster, who took for his text the second verse of the fourth chapter of St. Paul's first epistle to the Corinthians, and gave an able discourse upon the stewardship of the mysteries of Jesus Christ. In the course of the sermon very kindly reference was made to the life work here of the venerable Bishop, who, for 27 years, has held that rectorship and for 20 years previously been a prominent figure in church work in this city.

The benediction was pronounced by the rector-elect in accordance with the prayer book injunction.

The rector's inaugural sermon was preached at the evening service, and was taken from the singularly apt words of the centurion Cornelius—"Therefore I come unto you without gainsaying as soon as I was sent for; I ask, therefore, for what intent have you sent for me?" In strong tone the rector outlined the ideal relations that should rule betwixt parson and parishioner. His work was not to amuse, nor to tickle the ear intellectually, but to preach the truth and to enforce its lessons. For this object he had come and this should have been the congregation's reason for sending for him. Referring to his office, the reverend gentleman said: "I am not an isolated priest, but one of yourselves, simply among you to direct your spiritual worship, to advise, to cheer, to try and uplift those who are yearning for a higher life. The Reformed Episcopal church stands for a principle and the evangelical truth of the gospel, entwined with a service devoid of ritualism and Romanism. We do not pose as 'the church'; we are content and proud to class ourselves with the church Catholic. We are not worried about apostolic succession. It may be interesting historically, but is not essential to salvation—at least I do not find it recorded so in the Scriptures. But if some child finds shipwreck on this imaginary rock of St. Peter, why, it would not be difficult to convince the wayfaring man, though a fool, that we are as a church in possession of this possibly interesting figment of Romanism."

At both services large congregations were in attendance.

The Rev. Henry J. Wood was born at Penrith, in Cumberland, Eng., and was educated in the fine old city of Durham. In 1883 he was made a deacon in Montreal by Bishop Usher, whom he subsequently assisted as curate of St. Bartholemew's church, Beaver Hall Hill, in that city. Thence he went to the Bermudas for 10 years, being subsequently called to the church of the Reconciliation in Brooklyn, N. Y. Leaving Brooklyn, he spent three years in Chicago, at Trinity church, Inglewood, whence he came to this city in the early part of the winter. He is staying at the Victoria hotel, pending the preparations which are now being made for his keeping house.

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Notice is hereby given that the reservation on foreshore and tidal land, notice whereof was published in the British Columbia Gaette and dated 15th March, 1890, is cancelled. Any person desirous of acquiring a lease of any foreshore or tidal land must take steps to acquire the same in the manner provided by section 41 of the "Land Act," after the expiration of three (3) months from the date of this notice.

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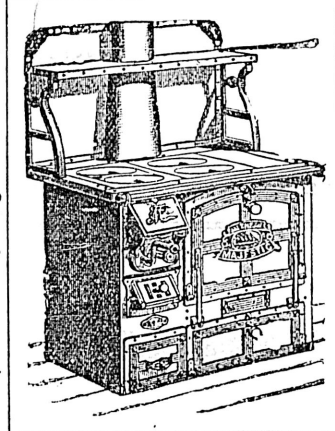

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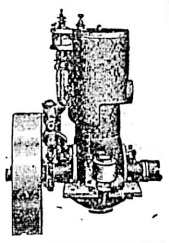

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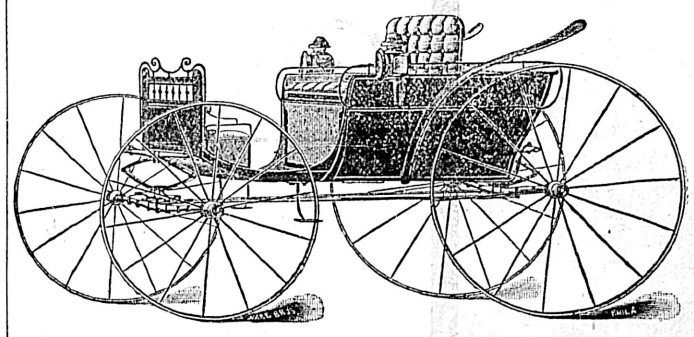

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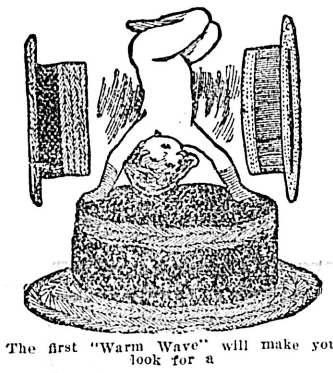

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LOCAL NEWS.

Time Extended.—The time for the reception of the tenders for the Congregational church building has been extended to May 23, from the 21st.

Long Run.—The Fire department was taken to Springfield avenue, Esquimalt road, on Sunday evening by a false alarm.

Farmers' Enemy.—A panther, probably the mate of the one killed a couple of weeks ago by Messrs. King and Irvine, has been visiting the farms in Cedar Hill district and carrying off sheep and calves.

Free Miners' Licences.—Persons holding Free Miners' Licences are reminded that their certificates expire on May 31, and are renewable on application on or before that date and on payment of the fee of $5.

Meet Tonight.—The blacksmiths hold a meeting in Labor Hall this evening. The charter and supplies having arrived from the International body the formalities of affiliating and the election and installing of permanent officers will take place.

Voters' Information League.—An important meeting of the Voters' Information league will be held at the Pioneer hall this evening at 8 o'clock. All voters who are interested in the welfare of the city and province are earnestly requested to attend.

Extra Trip.—The steamer Majestic is making an extra trip this week, Victoria Day, keeping her on the run for Friday, the rest day in that steamer's week. The holiday has been well advertized across the Sound, and a single fare, good for four days is sure to draw a crowd from Seattle, Port Townsend, and Angeles.

Teachers' Conferences.—The regular monthly conference of the junior grade teachers was held in the city superintendent's office yesterday. Today the intermediate grade teachers meet, and tomorrow the senior grade teachers will foregather at the same place and at the usual hour.

Temporary Offices.—The offices of the Bank of British North America have been removed to the store formerly occupied by the Royal Bank of Canada, between Fort and Broughton streets, on Government, and there the officials will be found during the work of remodelling the bank building on Yates street.

But One Offender.—There was just one offender in the City Police court yesterday, a Chinaman, who for the second time this month has been caught carrying garbage through the streets during prohibited hours. As it was his second offence, he was convicted and fined $10 and $2 costs.

Body Found.—In a letter to Mr. J. Hyland, who is at present in Victoria, Messrs. Reed and Sylvester, of Wrangel, state that the body of Heathcott, the Mounted Police man, who was drowned in the Stikine river in December last, had been found at the mouth of the river and buried at Wrangel.

Building at Shawnigan.—There is a building boom on at Shawnigan Lake at present, a number of summer cottages being under course of erection around that pretty resort, and some of them are quite imposing structures. Mr. Koenig's hotel is nearing completion—in fact, some of the furniture is already in, and the balance will be in place this week.

Firemen Thanked.—Mr. Aikman, of the Gorge road, desires to publish his hearty appreciation of the good run and strenuous efforts of the Victoria Fire brigade, by which his residence was saved from destruction on Saturday last, and to tender his thankful acknowledgments to Fire Chief Watson and his splendid men.

Change in Schedule.—On and after Wednesday the last Fort street car will leave the corner of Government and Yates streets at 11:30 p. m., instead of 11.15 p. m., as heretofore. On the Oak Bay line a 15 minute service will be given on Saturdays and Sundays from 12 noon until 6 p. m., instead of from 1 p. m. to 6 p. m. as hertofore.

An Officer, Too.—Besides the five men selected on Saturday night to represent Victoria in the Canadian contingent which is going to London for the coronation, the city is to be represented by an officer. Word was received from Ottawa yesterday that Capt. Alexis Martin had been chosen as one of the officers of the contingent. Capt. Martin is a brother of Mr. Justice Martin, and is a partner in the law firm of Langley & Martin.

Death of Mrs. Moran.—The many friends of Mrs. Sophia Moran, who has resided here for the past six years, will regret to learn of her demise, which occurred at Vancouver. The remains were brought here on Sunday for interment. Mrs. Moran's surviving children are Miss Sophia Moran and Mr. Peter Moran, of Vancouver; Mrs. D. G. Cox, 4 Gordon street, Victoria; Mrs. Possey and Mr. Frank Moran, of Calgary; Mr. Patrick Moran, of Revelstoke; Mrs. Kinniburgh, of New York, and Mr. Thomas Moran, of Liverpool. Mrs. Moran was a native of Antrim, Ireland, and aged 72 years. The funeral will take place at 9 o'clock this morning, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Cox, 4 Gordon street, and later at St. Andrew's R.C. cathedral.

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New Planking.—Workmen commenced yesterday to replank James Bay bridge in accordance with the decision of the council to keep that bridge in at least passable condition until the completion of the retaining wall.

New Cannery.—A Tacoma man is trying to secure rights on the military reservation at Neah Bay to establish a fish curing plant there. He intends to secure the whole catch of the Neah Bay Indians.

Death's Hand.—Mrs. J. G. Stroud died at the Jubilee hospital on Sunday. She was a native of Ireland, aged 40. A husband and five sisters are left to mourn her loss. The funeral will take place from St. Andrew's Cathedral at 9 o'clock this morning.

Did Not Arrive.—The ashes of the late Colonel Coolican were to have been scattered over Port Angeles harbor on Sunday, and a number of Victorians went over on Saturday to attend the ceremony. The urn and ashes did not arrive, but memorial services were held in the afternoon. The urn and ashes are expected to arrive in a couple of days.

Retail Clerks.—The meeting of retail clerks held in Labor hall last night was well attended. A communication from the secretary of the Retail Clerks' International Protective association was read, offering the assistance of that body towards completing the organization. It was decided to affiliate with that body, and an application blank for a charter was filled out and will be forwarded at once.

Machinery For Sicker.—Among the arrivals from Mount Sicker on Sunday was Capt. A. Wasson, who represents the shareholders in the Key City mine, of Mount Sicker. Capt. Wasson came down to meet the San Francisco boat. Yesterday morning was spent in looking after the transportation of machinery up the line, which was brought for the Key City mine by the Queen. A rich strike has recently been made at Copper Canyon. Capt. Wasson is staying at the Victoria hotel.

Law Notes.—Mr. Justice Drake disposed of the following matters in Supreme court chambers yesterday morning: Harris vs. Dunsmuir, the application by Mr. Griffin on behalf of defendant for a stay of proceedings pending the determination of the appeal taken from the judgment at the trial, was granted on payment of the money into court, with costs. Mr. Duff contra. Re Margaret McDonald, deceased, on application of Mr. Jay for letters of administration, an order was made appointing the mother of the deceased.

Accidental Drowning.—A verdict of accidental drowning was given at the inquest on the late D. Thompson, yesterday morning. Thompson's body was found near Brackman-Ker's wharf on Saturday. The unfortunate man disappeared from the Nanaimo pilot sloop when she collided with the Charmer, and it is supposed that his body became entangled in kelp. A sworn statement from Capt. Butler, who is now in San Francisco, describing the affair, was read yesterday and two witnesses were examined.

Sunday School Work.—A fair audience assembled in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church last evening to hear the address given by Mrs. Foster Bryner, of Chicago. The speaker took for her subject "Pointers on Sunday School Work," and gave a general outline of methods and ideas gained through her large experience in the work, illustrating by the use of the blackboard. At the conclusion of the programme a hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Bryner, who made a suitable reply. The chair was occupied by Mr. Wm. Marchant, and during the evening vocal solos were contributed by Miss Deaville and Mrs. Gideon Hicks.

Old Miner's Death.—John Pierce, an old resident of the city, was found dead in his cabin on Chatham street at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning. The old man was last seen alive on Friday. It was noticed on Saturday that his milk jug, which the milkman left on the verandah, had not been taken into the house. Investigation showed that the old man was dead. Deceased, who was well known here, came to British Columbia from King's Lynn, Norfolk, about 40 years ago, and went to the Cariboo diggings, where he was fairly successful. Pierce then came to Vancouver Island, and commenced farming in Saanich district, afterwards selling his farm and living on his means in Victoria. A brother was found in England about three years ago, and circumstances were made easier for him. Deceased is supposed to have left $11,000 cash in the bank. An inquest will be held today.

DINNER AND CONCERT.

Petty Officers of the Grafton Spend a Jolly Evening.

An enjoyable dinner and smoking concert took place at the Coach and Horses on Thursday evening by the chief and first-class petty officers of H. M. S. Grafton. The chair was occupied by J. W. May, ship's corporal, who was supported by Sergt.-Major Churchard, R. M. L. I., in the vice-chair. After dinner the chairman gave the toast of the evening, "Our King and Queen," after which several short speeches were made, also a vote of thanks was passed to the host and hostess, coupled with the name of Mr. Smith (late proprietor), for the most able way in which the catering was carried out. Songs were rendered during the evening by the following: Ship's Corporal May, "Tit-Bits"; Leading Stoker Holmes, "Chairman of the Friendly Lead"; Chief Torpedo Armorer Rozzel, "May I Dance With You?" Petty Officer Templeton, "Old Joe, the Jockey"; Chief Torpedo Instructor McGill, "The Bugler;" Petty Officer Vinicombe, "The Light Brigade," who responded to a song with "Where Did You Lose Your Arm?" Leading Stoker Warrines, "Light in the Window"; Petty Officer Logan Smith, "The Dustman"; Petty Officer Cocks, "Welcome to the New Year"; Gunnery Instructor Pegan, "I Love Old Ireland Still"; Petty Officer Elliott; Gunnery Instructor Field, "You Love Us for Our Rhino"; Leading Stoker Todd, "A Glass of Stout and Mild."

The guests of the evening were Mr. Cleaver Gunner, R.N.; Mr. Walker Parsenterk, R. N.; Petty Officer Cuthbertson, from the navy yard.

Mr. Smith presided at the piano and played accompaniments. The whole of the numbers were loudly applauded and several enthusiastically encored.

Immense crowds attended The Sterling Slaughter Sale on Saturday and Monday. Notwithstanding the large number of clerks, it was found very difficult to attend to all the purchasers. *

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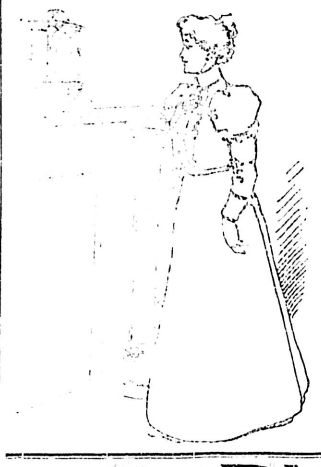

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21 lbs. B. C. Gran. Sugar	1.00	B. C. Gran. Sugar	4.75

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Provincial Legislature

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Just before the House adjourned at 6 o'clock, Hon. Mr. Wells answered Mr. McBride's questions:

1. Is J. N. Greenshields, K. C., still in the service of the government?

2. If so, under what terms?

As follows:

"1. Yes, but only in respect to any negotiations between the Dominion and Provincial governments.

"2. If by 'terms' is meant payment for his services, there is no agreement for any further payment in addition to $2,000 already paid for past and future services."

Hon. Mr. Prior presented a return under section 143 of the Mineral Act. Also a return of the amendment to the regulations approved under the provisions of the Coal Mines Regulation Act Amendment Act, 1901, on the 9th day of January, 1902.

NIGHT SITTING.

The House resolved into committee of the whole to consider Mr. Helmcken's bill relating to the employment on works carried on under franchises granted by private acts, Mr. Stables in the chair. The bill was reported complete without amendments.

The third reading of the bill was moved, but Mr. Curtis objected, and it was deferred till the next sitting of the House.

Mr. McPhillips' bill to amend the Supreme Court Act was taken up in committee, and reported complete with amendments, Mr. Tatlow in the chair. One of the amendments provides that plaintiffs may be ordered to give security for costs in certain cases.

Mr. McPhillips' bill to amend the Youths' Protection Act was submitted to the committee of the whole, Mr. Hall in the chair, and was reported complete with amendments.

PROTECTION OF GAME.

Mr. Hayward moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Game Protection Act. The bill provides that persons shall not shoot over enclosed private property without having obtained permission of the owner, failing which they shall be liable to a fine of not more than $5, nor less than $3. The Provincial Farmer's Institute were unanimous in asking for this amendment.

Hon. Mr. Eberts explained that under the existing act farmers were obliged, before they could prevent trespass, to post up on every 40 acres of their land a printed notice or warning. This was rather onerous on the farmer, and he thought the least a man could do was to ask permission to shoot. Very often these trespassers (they were not sportsmen) were very insolent and abusive when warned off private lands, and any amendment which would serve to deter trespassing would be welcome to the farmers.

Mr. Neill favored the amendment, but did not consider the penalty sufficiently severe.

The second reading passed.

PUBLIC WORKS LOAN ACT.

Mr. Curtis moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Public Works Loan Act. He explained that his bill was to protect workmen. In many cases contractors and subcontractors secured the money for their contracts and failed to pay their workmen.

Hon. Mr. Wells said the bill was out of order, as it interfered with the policy of the government. The government had introduced a bill dealing with the question.

Mr. Speaker reserved his decision.

PROVINCIAL ELECTORS.

Mr. Curtis moved the second reading of an act to amend the Provincial Election Act. The bill provides that an elector shall be disqualified from voting by ceasing to reside in the district for one month immediately prior to polling day, and gives the collector of votes power to strike the names of such persons off the list. It also provides that at general elections nominations shall take place on the same day throughout the province.

Hon. Mr. Eberts pointed out that there were two courts of revision every year, and there was every opportunity for having the names of persons improperly on the list struck off. The amendment would debar any person from voting who had been absent on business for a month or part of a month prior to election. The other provisions of the bill were also covered by existing law.

The second reading was defeated on a vote of 18 to 8.

MUNICIPAL ELECTORS.

Mr. Curtis moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Municipal Elections Act. The bill provides that any male or female, being a British subject and 21 years of age, who has paid all taxes due on or before December 1, shall be entitled to vote for mayor and alderman. It also provides for the compilation of the voters' list, removing names from list, and the declaration of a voter whose vote may be challenged.

Mr. Oliver moved the six months' hoist, as the bill was practically covered by the bill prepared by the Municipal committee.

With permission of the House, Mr. Curtis withdrew his bill.

TRANSPORTATION.

Mr. Curtis moved the second reading of a bill respecting Railway and Steamship Transportation in Certain Cases. The bill was intended to compel railway and steamship companies to give free transportation to every member of the legislative assembly; and in case of its dissolution, for three months thereafter to every person who was a member of it at the time of its dissolution; to every judge of the Supreme court and County courts of the province; To the surveyor and inspector of revenue, and to the assessor of taxes for the province. Railway companies to furnish lists annually to the Provincial Secretary of all persons to whom free transportation is issued. Any company failing to issue such transportation or to make such returns shall be liable to a fine of $500 in each case.

Mr. Curtis argued that by making it compulsory on railway companies to issue transportation to the persons named would remove any suspicion of members of the legislature, judges or tax collectors being under an obligation to the companies.

The bill was thrown out on a vote of 19 to 15.

The House adjourned at 11 p.m. till 2 o'clock this afternoon.

AUSTRALIAN EXCURSIONS.

Effort of Canadian-Australian Line to Bring Travelers to Canada.

The steamer Sierra, which sailed from Sydney for San Francisco on May 17, is carrying probably the last crowd of Australians en route via this continent to the coronation of King Edward in London. The Oceanic company, in order to secure this travel and that line has carried the greater number of the coronation passengers—hired a band to play daily during the voyage, and made other good arrangements for the passengers. The Canadian-Australian line is endeavoring to bring excursionsists from Australia to Victoria and through Canada during the summer months. In a recent issue the Sydney Morning Herald says in this connection: "The managing agents of the Canadian-Australian Royal mail line are advertising an excursion in connection with the Canadian Pacific railway to Western Canada during the months of June, July, and August. The trip is over 16,000 miles of ocean and railway traveling, and the fare will include all expenses on railway, sleeping, and dining cars, as well as at some of the finest mountain hotels in America. Several excursionists, among whom are business men, sportsmen, and others, have already booked their passages, and the venture promises to have the success which the promoters are entitled to for such a departure from the usual routine of pleasure trips."

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Glenogle in From Orient

Northern Pacific Liner Reaches Port From Yokohama—Other Liners.

Durbridge Makes Fast Trip From Shanghai—Chas Cotesworth Arrives.

Steamer Glenogle, of the Northern Pacific line passed Carmanah Point yesterday afternoon, and she reached William Head last night. The Glenogle will come up to the Outer wharf this morning and will likely spend all day at the Outer wharf, for she has 500 tons of general cargo to discharge at this port.

Steamer Shinano Maru, of the Nippon-Yusen-Kaisha line, is due today from Yokohama, and the ports of China and Japan, and the China Mutual liner Hyson is due tomorrow from the same ports. Steamer Tartar, of the C. P. R. fleet, which went to Comox from Vancouver, to coal, passed out to sea last night without calling at the Outer wharf. Both the Tartar and Athenian do not call on their outbound voyages, sailing direct from Comox to Yokohama. The Kinshiu Maru, the new outbound Oriental liner, will not leave this port until the 23rd—three days late, for her quarantined crew will not be released from William Head until Thursday.

The Shinano Maru, which is expected to arrive at the Outer wharf today, has 132 Chinese passengers for this port, and she will land 33 tons of general freight for local merchants. She left Yokohama on May 6. The Kinshiu, which is to sail outbound this week will have a large cargo of flour, cotton, machinery, and the usual exports to China and Japan.

Othere steamers expected to arrive here today are the colliers Wyefield and Titania, the former from San Diego, and the latter from San Francisco to load coal at Ladysmith for the Californian ports. The steamer Tellus left San Francisco on Sunday for Ladysmith. The steamer Victoria left Comox yesterday afternoon, and will pass out early this morning with a cargo of coal for San Francisco.

The steamer Tacoma, of the Northern Pacific line arrived at Hongkong yesterday from this port, and the steamer Riojun Maru of the Nippon-Yusen-Kaisha line arrived at Shanghai from Victoria. The steamer Duke of Fife will leave Yokohama on Friday en route to this port. She is due on June 7. The Victoria will leave Hongkong for Victoria on Saturday.

FROM WEST COAST.

Queen City Takes Ore From Monitor Mines to Tacoma.

Steamer Queen City returned on Sunday afternoon from the West Coast—from Sidney Inlet via ports—and left on Sunday night for the Tacoma smelter with a shipment of 150 tons of ore from the Monitor mines. This is the first shipment despatched from the mines this year, work having been stopped for a time during the winter. A number of shipments were made during last summer and more are to follow on other trips of the West Coast steamer.

The Queen City had a small passenger list, including J. Holland, the contractor for the cable station building at Bamfield creek. The Queen City will take up more material for the cable station when she sails again for the coast on the 21st—one day later than her schedule time. The Queen City will go as far as Cape Scott on her next trip.

COAST LINERS.

Steamer Queen in From the Golden City—City of Puebla Sails.

Steamer Queen reached port early yesterday morning with a large number of passengers for travel from the Golden Gate seems to improve with every upbound steamer. The Queen had 211 passengers all told, of whom 26 debarked here. There were 159 for Seattle, three for Whatcom, seven for Everett, two for Port Townsend, seven for Tacoma, and nine for Alaska. The Queen landed an average freight, including shipments of new fruits from California for local merchants.

The steamer City of Puebla, which sailed for the Golden Gate last night with a large number of passengers, had the following passengers from this port: Rev. T. H. MacLeod and wife, F. W. Meagher, Mrs. Tye, Miss McInnis, Mr. Marriott, Mrs. James Black, Noel Collins and J. Maryland.

THE SAILERS.

Durbridge Makes Fast Trip From Shaighai.

Another merchantman arrived from the Orient in ballast on Sunday. Following the Ferdinand Fischer, which came in 33 days from Hiogo on Saturday night, the British ship Durbridge, 2,121 tons, Capt. McLachlan, reached port on Sunday in ballast, 28 days from Shanghai. The Durbridge, which was loaded arrived at the port on the Yellow river on March 26, with a cargo from New York, and has made a swift passage across the Pacific, being almost equal to the record for the voyage across that water, now held by the barkentine Lahaina, which sailed from Shanghai to the Straits in 23 days. The Durbridge is here for orders. She will probably load wheat at Tacoma. The Ferinand Fischer was towed to Port Townsend yesterday by the tug Lorne en route to Port Blakeley to load lumber.

The British ship Deccan is now due from Hongkong in ballast for orders. She has been taken to load wheat at Tacoma. The Holywood, which went to Vancouver on Sunday to complete discharging, will also go to Tacoma to load, and the Kate Thomas, now 152 days out from Liverpool for this port with general cargo, will also load at the Sound port for home. The Kate Thomas was spoken in the Western ocean on March 11. She was seen in latitude 49 south, longitude 66 west.

The Norwegian ship Altavela, whose name board was found in company with other wreckage at Dead Tree Point near Skidegate on March 6, has been spoken in the Atlantic, and her name has been crossed from the overdue list—which removes the last of the ships which loaded in British Columbia from the market. The Altavela sailed out on February 11 with lumber from Hastings for Ostend.

British bark General Roberts arrived at Seattle on Sunday from Rotterdam with a cargo of cement, 164 days from the Dutch port. The winds were unsatisfactory in the Pacific, they at no time attaining "a good stiff breeze" from the Straits of Magellan to Flattery.

NAVIGATION COMMENCED.

Season is Opened on the Yukon River After Winter's Idleness.

Steamers Dolphin, City of Topeka, and Farallon, which left Skagway on May 13, have arrived at Seattle, with the news that on that date three or four vessels had moved from their winter quarters on the Yukon, and were on their way up or down the river.

The ice broke in front of Dawson, May 10, and by the morning of the 13th the river, according to telegraphic advices received at Skagway, was navigable as far as Five Fingers. By the time the boats from Dawson reached that point they were undoubtedly able to get past Five Fingers without great difficulty. The Sibyl, which wintered at Hootalinqua, sailed May 13. From Lower Le Barge the steamers La France, Bailey and Zealandian were to be despatched to Dawson, May 14. The indications were that all the vessels would go down the river on their first voyage, loaded to their utmost capacity with freight and passengers.

UNCHARTERED ROCK.

Capt. Walbran, of D. G. S. Quadra Locates One Off Chemainus Bay.

The Colonist has heard from Chemainus that Captain Walbran, of the D. G. S. Quadra, now lying in that harbor, has found, whilst engaged sounding in the fairway between Bird Rock and Bare Point lighthouse, a dangerous uncharted rock, with 3¼ fathoms on it at low tide and deep water around.

A wooden buoy has been moored temporarily on the danger by the Chemainus Mill company, who have large interests in Chemainus Bay.

YOSEMITE ARRIVES.

Long Overdue Coal Ship in Port and Gamblers Win Heavily.

The American bark Yosemite, out 142 days from Newcastle, Australia, for Guaymas and laden with coal that experts deem as combustible as live wires after being more than 100 days on shipboard, and quoted at 60 per cent. on the reinsured list, has arrived safely at her destination. Speculators that played her to arrive have won handsomely. Everything seemed against the Yosemite's arrival. She was nearly three months overdue; she is an old ship; she was laden with New South Wales coal. In the face of these facts 60 per cent. seemed a low rate, and had the Yosemite's voyage been prolonged a few days the rate would have taken a very material jump. Now the attention of the reinsurance speculators is directed toward the German ship H. F. Glade, the rate on which was advanced to 80 per cent. The Glade is now out 208 days from San Francisco for England, and speculation on her chance of arrival is very heavy.

BONDED FREIGHT.

Vancouver Opposes Action of Victoria in This Regard.

According to advices from Vancouver, the Board of Trade of that city will oppose the proposed action of the Victoria Board regarding the revoking of permission to American boats to carry bonded Canadian freight between British Columbia ports and Skagway. The American boats are carrying Canadian freight in competition with the home steamers, which labor under the disadvantages caused by the discrimination of the United States coasting laws, which do not allow of a British vessel carrying freight between two United States ports. A British vessel can, however, carry freight to Wrangel and to Skagway, and the local steamers do carry freight for both Wrangel and Skagway, but the local steamers cannot load freight at Wrangel for Skagway, although they could load freight there for Victoria.

COTESWORTH ARRIVES.

Salmon Carrier Reached Liverpool on Friday From This Port.

British ship Chas. Cotesworth, which left this port with 41,941 cases of salmon on November 5, arrived at Liverpool on Friday after a passage of 192 days. Had it not been for the fact that the tardy salmon carrier had been spoken several times during her voyage, she would have been on the overdue list. The Chas. Cotesworth is the seventh vessel of the fleet to arrive.

MARINE NOTES.

Capt. J. Davidson, of the barque Undaunted, which left here on the evening of the same day that the lost Condor put out to sea, has written to Capt. Royds. They had terrible weather, and Capt. Davidson was not surprised to hear of the disasters which occurred.

Steamer Yosemite did not leave Vancouver until 7 o'clock last evening, and consequently it was an early hour this morning before she arrived.

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VICTORIA DAY PREPARATIONS

All In Good Trim For Carrying Out Well Arranged Programme.

The outlook for the celebration of the Twenty-Fourth of May in Victoria is particularly bright.

For several weeks an energetic committee have been hard at work upon the innumerable details of the many features that mark the two days of festival and fun. Varying as the programme does in many smaller departures each year, the same general features will again be presented, the official programme of which will be published today.

At Clover Point the rattle of Lee-Metfords will again be heard, and no cost is being spared to make this rifle shooting as interesting and successful as in days of yore. The devotees of the shotgun are not overlooked, either, as by special license, a part of Beacon Hill Park is to be devoted to a grand trap-shoot meeting, at which some $500 of prizes are to be competed for.

The yachting fraternity, whose sport is enjoying so grand a stimulus this present season, are being remembered in a regatta in which two classes are to be represented. A class takes boats of 4.5 rating and over, and B all under that size. A fishermen's race is also being arranged for bona fide double-ended fishing boats, and to insure the best results in all the races some fair rules have been framed, which will be strictly enforced, and of which notice will be given so soon as possible. Already a large number of clubs have signified their intention of being represented, so that yachts may be expected here from Seattle, New Whatcom, Fairhaven, Anacortes, Crofton, Nanaimo and some other yachting centres.

One of the chief features of the celebration will be the competitive sports, in which a baker's dozen of events are to be divided between the school children and the representatives of the army and navy. This year the schools have taken far more than ordinary interest in the matter, and the number of entries from each school being limited, upholding of the prestige of these various institutions will add much zest to those hardly contested struggles in which Greek meets Greek. Of the naval sports little at present need be said, except that their being held out at Beacon Hill will give these popular sports an advantage which they have not hitherto enjoyed.

In the realm of out-door sports, too, baseball and the national game will not be forgotten, and already much interest is being manifested in the prowess of the nine from the University of California as well as in the world champions in lacrosse that will come down from New Westminster.

The chances of a great international race between the Washington state Indians and the picked canoeists of the siwashes of British Columbia, in which the $300 is at stake, will add a new feature to the afternoon at the Gorge, while the number of acceptances already received from the many Indian visitors gives promise of even a better lot of native races than ever before.

The devotees of the bat and crease will this year find much interest in an international match, as a United States cricket team from over the Sound is coming to play the game in which the truest ideals of gentlemanly sport find their highest form of expression.

The evening out at Beacon Hill will be lit up by the usual fireworks, while to their effect will be added those of bands of music and what is but seldom attempted the illumination of the park and lakes. Streets and Parliament buildings will also be resplendent, while it is hoped that shops, stores, and private residences will all appear in gala dress of bunting and of lanterns.

The Tourists association it might be added are doing all in their power to aid in the success of the affair, their traveling representative, Herbert Cuthbert, who is now in San Francisco leaving today for Portland, and the Sound to aid in the proper advertisement of the celebration, and its many features.

YACHT RACES.

Arrangements Have Been Well Advanced by Committee of Victoria Yacht Club.

The yachting regatta on Victoria Day has been committed to the care of the Victoria Yacht club, who will appoint the timekeepers, umpires, starters, etc., and make all arrangements for this most interesting feature of the celebration. Already Sergeant-Major Mulcahy, who is secretary of the club, has put a lot of hard work into the matter, so much so that the preparations are already far advanced.

Three races in all will be held, the entries for which will start in quick succession from the Outer wharf on Friday morning, a starting gun having as hitherto been erected on Pearline Rock, just beyond the wharf. The big boats, those rating 4.5 and over, of which Mr. Barnard's Ariadne is the only representative here, will get away at 11 o'clock. For this class there are two prizes of $30 and $20 respectively. Three yachts must start, or no second money. It is expected that the Sound boats will be over to fill this class, the schooner Bonita, yawl Olympia, and cutter Lavita being all old visitors of Victoria.

In the second class, rating under 4.5 measurement, five prizes of $30, $25, $20, $15 and $10 are being offered, as with all the one-design classers and numerous other of the smaller sort this race should have a lot of entries and absorb a great deal of the interest of the day. This class starts at 11:15, a quarter of an hour after the big bunch.

In the fishermen's race two prizes of $10 and $5 are offered. These boats, like all the others, must be measured by the yachting committee, who desire that this work be not postponed later than Thursday.

The following rules have been published for the race:

Classes.—A. All yachts rating 4.5 and over. B. All yachts under 4.5. All yachts entered must be enrolled in a recognized yacht club. C. Fishermen's race: two prizes; confined to bona fide fishing boats, i.e., double ended, that is as used by the local fishermen, sharp at both ends.

Numbers for the sails and programmes may be procured from the secretary, Victoria Yacht Club, at the Club house on Thursday after 2 p. m.

Owners of yachts will make arrangements to have their boats measured by notifying the secretary when it will be convenient for them.

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TRAP SHOOTING.

Programme of Events For Friday—Local Shots Last Practice.

On Sunday the members of the Victoria and Capital Gun clubs held their final practice for the shoot which takes place on Friday, and there are several local shots, who now feel able to hold their own against the cracks of the Northwest, who are expected to be here. The programme for Friday follows:

EVENT NO. 1.

Fifteen singles; entrance $1.50, $10 added; known traps, unknown angles. Purse divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

EVENT NO. 2.

Twenty singles; entrance $2, $15 added; known traps, unknown angles. Purse divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

EVENT NO. .

Fifteen singles; entrance $1.50, $10 added; known traps, unknown angles. Purse divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

EVENT NO. 4.

Three Men Team Shoot. Twenty-five singles per man; entrance $7.50, $50 added. Open only to teams from any one city, but can enter as many teams as desired. Purse divided 50, 30 and 20 per cent.

EVENT NO. 5.

Twenty singles; entrance $2, $20 added; 10 unknown angles, known traps, 10 unknown angles reverse traps, use of both barrels. Purse divided 40, 30, 20 and 10 per cent.

EVENT NO. 6.

Consolation, 15 singles; entrance $1.50, $10 added. For shooters who have shot in two or more events, but not divided any money.

GENERAL AVERAGE PRIZE.

For shooter making highest average having shot in all events, except consolation, $10.

For shooter making lowest average having shot in all events, except consolidation, $5.

Events 4 and 6 do not count in average.

The shooting will take place at Beacon Hill, and the following are the rules which will be enforced by those having charge of the contest:

All shooting shall be class shooting. Revised American Association rules govern all contests.

Shooting to commence promptly at 11 o'clock a. m. Shooters can take Beacon Hill car, which will leave them very close to the grounds.

Blue Rock traps and targets will be used. Targets deducted from entrance fee at 5 cents each.

No entries allowed after last squad has commenced firing.

Manufacturers' agents may shoot in events, but for birds only.

THE PROGRAMME.

FRIDAY.

9 a. m.—Rifle shooting contests.

10 a.m. to 1 p. m.—Competitive sports at Beacon Hill.

10 a. m.—Open air exhibition by the members of the Victoria Athletic Club.

All Day—Trap shooting, under the auspices of the Victoria and Capital Gun Clubs.

3. p. m.—Baseball match at Oak Bay, between Victoria and the California University team.

All Day—Races of Victoria Yacht Club.

Evening—Illuminations of the city.

Grand fireworks display at Beacon Hill. Band concert.

SATURDAY.

10 to 12 a. m.—Championship lacrosse match between Victoria and New Westminster at the Caledonian grounds.

1 p. m.—Annual regatta at the Gorge, Bands in attendance.

1 p. m.—Baseball match at Oak Bay, Victoria vs. University of California.

All Day—Cricket match at Beacon Hill.

Evening—Illuminations and band concert.

STRUCK BY WATER SPOUT.

Four People Drowned in Wisconsin—Alderman Killed.

Lacrosse, Wis., May 19.—News reached here this morning from Preston, Minn., near here, of the Dubupue division of the Milwaukee road, that a water spout struck a few miles from there last night deluging the country for miles around. Four unknown persons were drowned, and Alderman Conkee was killed by lightning. The damage to property is very heavy. Near Forrestville, a farmer lost four children.

CUBAN RAILWAY.

Sir William Van Horne Speaks of Enterprise There.

New York, May 19.—Among the passengers who arrived today by the Ward line steamer Monterey from Havana, was Sir William Van Horne, who said that he expected that the last spike on the Santa Clara and Santiago railway would be driven next week. He also said: "We shall have no official celebration of our opening, as I don't believe in such things; but I believe the event will be auspicious, and an augury of good for Cuba. We are building a number of branch lines as feeders to our system.

TEXAS CYCLONE.

Later Reports Place Dead at One Hundred and Sixty.

Dallas, Tex., May 19.—The Associated Press reached Goliad by telephone for a few minutes shortly afternoon. The operator reported one hundred and sixty dead, and one hundred wounded, the majority negroes, as the storm swept the negro district in the west end of the town. The business section was not touched. The town is now under military rule. The newspaper men on the ground are assisting in the burial of the dead, and relieving the injured. The court house and private residences are being utilized to care for the injured, and for preparing the dead for burial. The tornado came from the southeast at 3 o'clock in the afternoon without warning. The wires are badly demoralized and the details are necessarily slow.

MARCHING ON CAPITAL.

General Firmin's Army Advancing on Port Au Prince.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, May 19.—General Defly, who was military commander here under the presidency of General Sam and M. Vilbrun Guillaume, the former minister of war, left here today as an exile on the steamer Hungaria of the Hamburg-American lines West Indian service. The report that the northern army is marching on Port Au Prince now seems to be generally accepted as true. The troops of General Firmin are supposed to be at St. Marie on the west coast, 44 miles from Port Au Prince. The intentions of the general, barring the fact that he is a political candidate, are not known. If he arrives here alone he may be able to make some arrangement with the provisional government, but if he approaches this city at the head of a force of troops, fighting is liable to occur. All is quiet here.

PERSONALS.

J. Brooks, Duncans, is at the Dawson.

Mr. A. Corlett and the Misses Nellie and Carrie Corlett of San Francisco, Cal., are guests at the Queen's.

T. Kiddle, Ladysmith, is a guest at the Vernon.

D. Brenton, Chicago, is at the Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Walker of Dominion City, Man., are at the Queen's.

E. Shaw, Duncans, is at the New England.

D. A. Richards, of Port Townsend, a mine owner of Mount Sicker, is at the Queen's.

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If you are broken down from hard work or any other reason; if your nerves are shaky; if you have those "come and go" pains in your back, shoulders and hips; if your stomach is weak, your kidneys and bladder ailing, or if you are a man or woman with any trouble which you have tried in vain to cure with drugs, I will cure you first and you can pay me afterward.

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THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, May 19.—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

An extensive high barometer area covers the coast from Vancouver Island to California, while east of the Rockies the barometer is abnormally low. These conditions are causing fair weather this side of the Cascades, and showers and thunderstorms from the Rockies eastward to Manitoba. In the latter province the temperature rose above 80 degrees.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	60
New Westminster	38	62
Kamloops	46	54
Barkerville	30	42
Calgary	36	54
Winnipeg	56	86
Portland, Ore.	46	58
San Francisco	48	60

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time.) Tuesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh winds, chiefly west and south, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or higher temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

SUNDAY, MAY 18.

	Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	46	Mean	51
Noon	53	Highest	56
5 p.m.	56	Lowest	45

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. .... 4 miles west.
Noon .... 8 miles southwest.
5 p.m. .... 20 miles yest.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—7 hours 54 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 29.883
Corrected 29.908

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 29.84

MONDAY, MAY 19.

	Deg.		Deg.
5 a.m.	44	Mean	51
Noon	54	Highest	60
5 p.m.	58	Lowest	42

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a. m. .... Calm.
Noon .... 8 miles southeast.
5 p.m. .... 8 miles southeast.

Average state of weather—Fair.
Sunshine—13 hours 30 minutes.
Barometer at noon—Observed 29.928
Corrected 29.946

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 29.96

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

PRICES BEING PAID FARMERS.

(By W. G. Dickinson.)

Hay, per ton	$9
Oats, per ton	$27
Wheat, per ton	$25
Barley, per ton	$25
Eggs, per doz., (trade)	20c
Eggs, per doz., (cash)	25c
Potatoes, per ton, (Fraser River)	$16
Potatoes, per ton, (local)	$17

MINING EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by A. W. More & Co., Ltd., 23 Broad Street.)

Toronto, May 19.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Tail	13	11
Canadian G. F. S.	4¾	4
Cariboo McKinney	23	16
Cariboo Hydraulic	$1.20	$1.00
Centre Star	34	31
Crow's Nest Pass Coal		$1.25.00
Deer Trail Con.	2½	
Fairview Corp.	6	5
Golden Crown	4½	3½
Iron Mask	20	10
Lone Pine—Surprise Con.	7½	5
Morning Glory	3½	
Morrison	6	
Mountain Lion	26	23
North Star	26	23½
Olive	6	4
Payne	21	17
Rambler Cariboo Con.	88	75
Republic	10	8
Sullivan	9	7
Virtue	12	10
War Eagle Con.	15	10
White Bear	2¾	2¼
Winnipeg	6	4¾
Wonderful	5	
Granby Co.	$2.95	$2.70

TORONTO SALES.

White Bear, 500 at 2¾, 2,000 at 2.
Deer Trail, 5,000 at 2¼.

ROSSLAND SALES.

Rambler Cariboo, 500 at 84.
Quilp, 1,000 at 34.
American Boy, 3,000 at 6¼.
Centre Star, 2,000 at 33.

STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

(By B. C. Stock Exchange, Ltd.)

New York, May 19.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchanges today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
New York Wheat—				
July	80¾	80¾	80¼	80⅝
Chicago Corn—				
July	61¼	61¼	60⅝	61¼

New York, May 19.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amal. Copper	67¼	68	66⅝	67½
Amn. Sugar	126	126⅜	125¼	126⅞
People's Gas	101¼	101½	101	101¼
U. S. Steel	39⅞	40	38⅝	39⅜
U. S. Steel pfd	90¼	90½	89	90
Manhattan	131¼	131⅝	130⅝	131¼
B. R. T.	64¼	65⅛	64⅝	65
C., M. & St. P.	166⅝	167¼	165⅞	166½
Union Pacific	102⅞	103⅛	102⅜	103⅛
Louis. & Nash.	138	138	136⅞	137
Sou. Pacific	64¼	64¼	63	63⅜
Mo. Pacific	98¼	98⅜	97¼	98¼
Atchison	77⅛	78⅜	77⅜	77⅝
Atchison pfd	96⅞	97	96⅝	96⅞
Chgo. Gt. West.	28	..	..	27⅞

Money closed at 5 per cent.

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PASSENGERS.

Passengers per steamer Queen from San Francisco: Miss E. Clarbour, Miss Fitzgerald, L. Jackers, L. D. Bradley and wife, E. Temple and wife, J. Peff and wife, A. Johnson, H. M. Mathews, A. Jameson, J. O. Donohue, E. J. de Lamare, J. M. Paton, Helen McGee, W. A. Milaman and mother. Sf..9mK9 afatrm shrdlu shrdlu fodarthem

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VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of May, 1902.

(Issued by the tidal survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120 meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot

Date.	Day.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.
		h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.
1	Th	0 09	7.1			15 23	3.1	23 19	7.1
2	F.	..				16 18	3.5	23 26	7.2
3	Sa	6 36	4.9	11 32	5.6	17 11	3.9	23 42	7.4
4	S.	7 51	4.0	12 49	5.9	18 02	4.3	....	
5	M.	0 07	7.8	7 18	3.0	14 00	6.3	18 52	4.7
6	Tu	0 37	8.2	7 54	2.1	15 06	6.6	19 40	5.1
7	W.	1 08	8.6	8 34	1.2	16 08	7.0	20 26	5.5
8	Th	1 40	8.8	9 16	0.5	17 11	7.2	21 11	6.0
9	F.	2 14	8.9	10 01	0.1	18 16	7.4	22 02	6.4
10	Sa	2 51	8.7	10 48	0.1	19 24	7.6	23 01	6.7
11	S.	3 31	8.4	11 38	0.2	20 28	7.7	....	
12	M.	0 12	6.8	4 14	7.9	12 29	0.7	21 24	7.8
13	Tu	1 33	6.7	5 03	7.2	13 22	1.3	22 03	7.7
14	W.	3 08	6.2	6 28	6.4	14 15	2.0	22 26	7.7
15	Th	4 54	5.5	8 24	5.7	15 09	2.9	22 40	7.6
16	F.	5 57	4.7	10 29	5.4	16 04	3.7	22 53	7.6
17	Sa	6 40	3.9	12 39	5.4	16 57	4.5	23 09	7.7
18	S.	7 14	3.1	14 33	5.8	17 48	5.2	23 30	7.9
19	M.	7 42	2.5	15 40	6.2	18 34	5.7	23 55	8.1
20	Tu	8 09	1.9	16 42	6.5	19 16	6.1	....	
21	W.	0 22	8.2	8 37	1.5	17 39	6.8	19 58	6.5
22	Th	0 50	8.3	9 07	1.3	18 34	7.0	20 41	6.8
23	F.	1 17	8.3	9 39	1.1	19 30	7.1	21 26	7.0
24	Sa	1 39	8.1	10 13	1.1	20 25	7.3	22 15	7.2
25	S.	1 56	7.9	10 49	1.3	21 18	7.4	23 09	7.4
26	M.	2 05	7.7	11 27	1.5	22 02	7.4	....	
27	Tu	0 36	7.3	2 06	7.4	12 07	1.8	22 14	7.4
28	W.	..				12 50	2.2	21 53	7.3
29	Th	..				13 36	2.7	21 42	7.3
30	F.	..				14 26	3.3	21 51	7.5
31	Sa	7 06	4.9	9 54	5.0	15 19	3.9	22 12	7.7

Zero of above heights corresponds to 11 feet in the fairway of Victoria harbor.

Esquimalt (at Dry Dock).—From observations during six months, May to October, compared with simultaneous observations continued at Victoria by Mr. F. N. Denison.

For time of high water, add 14 minutes to H. W. at Victoria.

For time of low water, add 17 minutes to L. W. at Victoria.

To Encourage Dog Breeders

Championship Cup Received By C. W. Minor From Canadian Kennel Club.

Preparing for the Handball Games on Friday and Saturday.

In the last few years the Canadian Kennel Club seems to have taken on new life, and now they are doing all in their power to encourage the breeding of good dogs in Canada. They now give handsome cups for championships won under their rules, one of which has been received by Mr. Charles Minor for his English setter, Roy Montez, who, by the way, is now a champion under both the American and Canadian Associations. To become a champion a dog must win four times in the winners' class in shows held under the auspices of the Canadian or American associations, as the case may be. Roy Montez has done this in both Canadian and American shows. In the Canadian stud book he is registered 5765. The cup received from C. K. C. is a very handsome silver one, standing about fourteen inches high. On a shield are the words in blue and gold: "C. K. C. Championship; 5765." Around the shield is a wreath, and on the top a beaver. In a letter to Mr. Minor the secretary states that the club has decided to give cups and medals to any club holding field trials in Canada, the only condition being that the dog competing is registered.

VANCOUVER CREW.

Will Row in the Lapstreak Race on Saturday Afternoon.

The J. B. A. A. invited the Vancouver Rowing Club to send a crew down to compete in the four-oared lapstreak race on the 24th for the championship of B. C. The invitation has been accepted and the following crew will represent Vancouver: C. F. Hensley, stroke; G. W. Seymour, 3; H. B. Springer, 2; R. C. Spinks, bow. In Vancouver the crew is considered a very strong one. The men have been rowing together for some time and they are already in good shape. An invitation was also sent to Nelson, but they were unable to accept it, as the boys are busily preparing for the big N. P. A. A. O. regatta, which will be held at Nelson later in the season.

BASEBALL.

Arrangements for the Two Games With University of California This Week.

The next opponents of the Victorias will be the University of California nine. They play here on Friday and Saturday of this week. So far this season the locals have been up against very strong teams, but if advance notices can be relied on, the California bunch are even stronger than either of the teams that have played here. Their bright particular star is their pitcher, Overall. He is reported to be a twirler much after the style of the well known pitcher Schock of the Everett team. Overall stands six feet two inches in his stockings, weighs 215 lbs. and is an almost perfect specimen of an athlete. The games he pitched this season have all been winners, and no team has made more than four hits off him in any game this year. The team has played twenty games this spring, and have lost but two of them.

The local team are having hard practice every evening this week and will be even in better form than last Saturday. The grounds will be rolled and mowed and will be in the very best of condition for good fast ball. The boys expect an exceptionally large crowd on Friday, and are making preparations for their accommodation. Another ticket wicket and also another gate will be put in for the occasion, and the field roped off for the crowd that can not get seats in the stand. The games will be called at the usual time.

WITH ROD AND REEL.

Some Good Baskets Taken at Shawnigan Lake on Sunday Last.

Sunday from all appearances should have been an ideal day for fishing, but those who tried it, with few exceptions, found otherwise. While a couple of good baskets were taken at Shawnigan with the troll, the majority who spent the day on the lake were not very successful. It was no better on the Cowichan river. One fisherman got a dozen good fish at the mouth of the river with bait, but the fly fishermen from the mouth to the railway bridge met with very poor success.

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BUSINESS POINTERS.

The celebrated "Guinea Gold" and the famous "Otto de Rose" brands of cigarettes are the sole manufacture of Ogden's, Ltd., of Liverpool, Eng., both of which are to be had at Salmon's cigar store, corner Government and Yates streets, either in wholesale or retail quantities. Both brands being the product of the choicest growths of Virginia, the latter being delicately flavored with a delicious perfume, throwing off a pleasant odor, while being smoked, great care having been taken in flavoring not to destroy the natural odor of the tobacco. There is nothing can equal these two brands on the market.

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The most delightfully blended whisky known to the human palate is "Jesse Moore"—the standard for over fifty years.

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Big Production.—Mr. N. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott, fresh from their histrionic triumph in London, have returned to America to fill engagements in the big cities booked in the early part of last year, and which could not be cancelled. They will present Henry V. Esmond's comedy "When We Were Twenty-One," which was especially written for them, and which is considered their most ambitious effort, as well as the most artistic success of their career. Both the London and New York press as well as those in every other city where they have presented it were enthusiastic in their praise. The story of the play is suggested by a Thackerayan verse, after Beranger, exalting the value of friendship. Mr. Goodwin and Miss Elliott will bring to this city on Thursday next one of the largest supporting organizations they have ever had, in which will be found many well known names. They bring with them also the entire stage production and decorations that were used during the original presentation at the Knickerbocker theatre, New York, and which has never been surpassed by any presentation now before the footlights.

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PERSONALS.

Josiah Collins and party, who have been staying for some days out at the Mount Baker hotel, left last night on the steamer Majestic on their return to Seattle. The party was quite a large one, amongst them being J. D. and Mrs. Lowman, Mrs. and Miss Minor and Miss Griggs, and is expected to be the precursor of many more Seattle parties coming over here this season.

J. W. Marshall, K. A. Fraser and Jas. Walker left yesterday for Seattle, there to catch the N. P. train for Portland, Oregon. B. W. Gabriel is also making the same trip.

Thomas Forbes, manager of the Western Condensed Milk company's factory at Mission City, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Wallace M. and Mrs. Clark came over from Seattle yesterday and are staying at the Dominion. Mr. Clark, who is on his way back to Dawson, has been buying a stock of goods for the Klondike trade.

Thos. Stevenson, the genial clerk at the Dominion hotel, returned with his bride from a three weeks' honeymoon trip, which was spent in the Sound cities, and at Vancouver. Tom reports that none of them are doing the business that rules at the Steve Jones' hostelry.

A. D. Sandstrom, ship builder of Seattle, arrived at the Queen's with fifteen ship caulkers for the marine ways, Esquimalt.

J. H. Poff and wife returned from their honeymoon trip on the San Francisco boat yesterday morning. They are staying at the Vernon.

Walter Young and party of mining men, are at the Queen's, waiting for the next trip of the Tees to the West Coast.

Isladore Bissinger, skin and fur dealer of San Francisco, who has a branch in Victoria, is at the Driard.

Governor Ross of Yukon Territory, arrived from Ottawa on Sunday evening, and

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this city he is a guest of Mrs. McKay, James Bay.

J. Cochran, Chicago, is at the Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Carter, Boston, are guests at the Victoria.

P. O'Brien of the Queen's, arrived on the Majestic from Seattle.

E. J. de Lamare of Atlin, is at the Driard.

Classified Advertisements, one cent advertisement inserted for less per word per insertion, cash. No than 25 cents.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—A steady, reliable farm hand, accustomed to the care of stock. Must be a good milker and teamster. Apply with testimonials to Pemberton & Son, 45 Fort street. m18

WANTED—Experienced salesmen at once, at the Sterling Dry Goods Store, 39 Government street. m16

WANTED—An active lad for office. Apply "Cash," care Colonist. m13

WANTED—500 men and boys to buy reliable boots at Nangle's, 56 Fort street. Prices all right. f27

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—Part or all the time, girl to assist with general house work. Apply to 39 Birdcage Walk, corner of Superior. m20

WANTED—A good general servant. Apply Mrs. F. H. Wollaston, No. 119 Menzies street. m20

WANTED—Skirt and waist hands. Apply Mrs. Poudrier, 56 Fort street. m18

WANTED—Good general help at once. Apply Mrs. Hanham 149 Menzies St. m18

WANTED—A young person to help in the house; must understand cooking. Small family. Mrs. Mesher, cor. Park and Dallas road. m17

WANTED — Experienced salesladies, at once, at the Sterling Dry Goods Store, 39 Government street. m16

WANTED—Good steady girl for store. Apply 78 Douglas street. m10

WANTED—A suitable person to adopt a fine healthy boy 14 months old. For particulars enquire 188 Cormorant St. m14

WANTED—Young girl to assist in care of two children from 1 to 6. Apply E. A. W., Colonist office. m14

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

COMPETENT BOOKKEEPER, experienced in office work, desires position of trust. First class references. (Married.) Address G., Colonist office. m6

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

EXPERIENCED LADY STENOGRAPHER and bookkeeper desires position. Best of references. Address X. N., Colonist office. m20

WANTED—By first class cook, situation in private family. Apply E. S., 22, care Colonist. m20

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD.

WANTED—A gentleman wants room and board with private family in city, Rock Bay or Victoria West. Kindly state terms. H. B. E., Colonist office. m20

WANTED—RESIDENCES.

WANTED TO RENT—Good house, 9 or 10 rooms, with modern conveniences. Good locality, near High School. Possession middle of June. Permanent tenant, no children. State location and rent. Box 211 Post Office. m18

COTTAGE partly furnished, or otherwise, near Kanaka Ranch and sea, wanted for July or August. S. R. T., Colonist office. m18

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—All kinds of cast off clothing, etc., at Fred's Curiosity Stores, 148 Yates street. m20

WANTED TO HIRE—One or more teams of heavy draught horses together with teamsters. Summer's work, logging. Albert F. Griffiths, 88¼ Government St. m17

WANTED—Invalid's reclining chair; will purchase or hire. Apply 24 Caledonia avenue. a27

WANTED—At Eden's Junk Stores, 125 Fort street, copper, brass, bottles, sacks, coal oil cans, iron, etc. Terms cash. m6

WANTED—For spot cash, rags, also old iron, copper, brass, etc. Victoria Junk Agency, 30 Store street.

PERSONAL.

WANTED—To know the whereabouts of Malcolm C. Taylor, aged about 30, who has lived in Kamloops for 10 years, but has not been heard of by his relatives for 15 months. He was formerly in the employ of The Western Ranching Co. and S. Armour. Any information respecting him sent to the Editor of the Daily Colonist will be forwarded to his relatives in England. m20

GENTLEMAN proceeding to London, will entertain mining or other properties. Well known in financial circles. Terms according to arrangements. Box, Daily Colonist. m18

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TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Apply 54 Humboldt street. m17

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms at Elsmere House, 104 Pandora. Apply 97 Quadra; also furnished suite with bathroom. m13

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front rooms, single or en suite. 182 Fort street. a22

TO LET—Front rooms en suit or housekeeping. 90 Douglas street. a8

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LOST—Terrier puppy, black and tan head, white body. Anyone returning the same to Swiss Cottage, Esquimalt, will be rewarded. m20

LOST—A pair of child's tan shoes, between Baker shoe store and Cook street. Finder please return to 96 Cook street. m18

LOST—Scotch terrier puppy. Return to 33 St. Louis street. Reward. m18

FOUND—Reliable boots and shoes cheapest in town, at Nangles, 56 Fort St.

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DRESSMAKING—Daily or at home. Best references. Good fitter. Children's garments of all kinds. 60 North Park street.

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SCHOOL OF NEEDLEWORK—Miss E. A. Mesher, plain sewing, practical dressmaking and fancy work, from 10 to 12 and 2 to 6 p. m. Room 3, Moody block. m10

REFRESHMENTS—Little Arctic, Beacon Hill Park, is now open for the season. Fresh Confections, excellent Ice Cream, afternoon tea, etc. Phil H. Smith. m11

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MEDIUM—If you are in trouble I will give you advice. Call on Mrs. Dr. Merchant, Bayard House, 61 Pandora street, and also unite separate. a25

TO RENT—WAREHOUSE.

TO LET—Warehouse on Wharf street, 25x70, A1 location and in good condition. Rent $25. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government Street.

TO RENT—RESIDENCES.

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FOR SALE—Horse and wagon. Good steady horse 1100 lbs. 9 years old; good harness; light spring wagon. Price $100. Can be seen at 72 Fort street. m20

WANTED—For hatching purposes, 10 or 15 dozen common duck eggs, at a common price. Write particulars to John Spears, Corfield P. O., B. C. m20

FOR SALE—A good milch cow. Apply Mrs. Hunt, Rockland avenue. m1

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L. GOODACRE—Contractor to Royal Navy and Dominion Government. Telephone 32. Cor. Johnson and Government streets.

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$950—Corner lot and 5-roomed cottage in Spring Ridge; must be sold immediately. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street.

HOUSE and two lots, corner Simcoe and Clarence streets, $1800; house and lot corner St. James and Rendall streets, $1150; 42 acres near Prairie tavern, with house, barn, stable, orchard and other improvements, $2200; over two acres on Craigflower road, running to Victoria Arm, with two story house, a bargain. Apply to J. T. L. Meyer, Room 9, Bank of Commerce Building. m10

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THE FUJI COMPANY, Japanese Merchant Tailor, 156 Government street, has new stuffs for Gentlemen's Spring and summer Suits, arrived lately. We make suits to order with cheapest money in the town. Come and try us at once. m14

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HORSE FOR SALE—A white horse 1100 lbs., suitable for farm or general purpose; true to pull; drives free. Price $75. Sam B. Sutton, 72 Fort street, Victoria. m9

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Some Maltese kittens. Apply Cat, this office. m20

FOR SALE—Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on Friday the 23rd May, inst., for the purchase of the yacht "Nancy," with yawl rigging, masts, spars, sails, cabin furniture, as she now lies on Watson's ways, Laurel Point, James Bay. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. F. B. Gregory, Fell & Gregory, Board of Trade Building, Victoria, B. C. m17

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SCREEN DOORS, $1.50; meat Safes, $2.50; Step Ladders, $1.25; Garden Swings, etc. Job and carpenter work of all descriptions. Moore & Whittington, Contractors, 159 Yates street. m11

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TO RENT—STORES.

TO LET—Premises now occupied by Dixi H. Ross & Co., 117 Government street. Apply L. J. Quagliotti, 119 Cormorant street. m16

FOR SALE—INDIAN CURIOS.

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TENDERS

Will be received up to 4 p. m. on Wednesday ... stone building on corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets for the Congregational church.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. George Carter, Broad St.

Tenders must be properly sealed, endorsed "Tender for Church Building," and addressed to "The Building Committee, Congregational Church, care of George Carter, Broad street."

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. SCOWCROFT
Secretary.

May 12th, 1902.

NOTICE.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the southern boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the E. & N. Railway land grant.

LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

SALE OF CITY REAL ESTATE BY TENDER.

Estate of Esther Riley, Deceased.

By order of the Executors that desirable property known as Lot 53, Block 23, situate on Fort street, near Blanchard, the buildings whereon are known as Nos. 85 and 89 Fort street, is offered for sale by tender. Sealed tenders therefor, addressed to the undersigned, from whom all particulars as to title, rentals, etc., can be obtained, will be received up to noon of Wednesday, May 21st instant. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted, the executors reserving full power to deal with all tenders in their absolute discretion as they may be advised.

HIGGINS & ELLIOTT,
Law Chambers, Bastion Street.
Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1902.

LAND REGISTRY ACT—In the matter of an Application for a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title of Lot Six Hundred and Ninety-Nine (699), Victoria City. Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above Land, issued to George Isaac Stuart and Robert Edwin Jackson, on the 20th day of June, 1871, and numbered 252a. S. Y. WOOTTON Registrar-General. Land Registry, Victoria, B. C., 3rd day of April, 1902.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.—The firm of Hopkins, Dunn & Co., of the "Mountview Greenhouses," Victoria, has been dissolved, Mr. Charles Harrie Hopkins retiring. The business will be conducted by the undersigned under the firm name of Hopkins & Dunn.

Dated 12th May, 1902.

H. R. HOPKINS.
H. J. DUNN.

Sixty days after date take notice that I intend to make application to purchase a small island, containing about six acres and situated at the north end of Salias Island and lying between the Government Reserve and Section 13, on Salias Island. April 15th 1902, Victoria. W. H. Berridge.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

In the Matter of the Winding-Up Act, and in the Matter of the Carlisle Packing and Canning Company, Limited Liability.

The Honorable P. A. E. Irving, Judge, has, by an order dated the 9th day of April, A. D., 1902, appointed Thomas B. Hall, of the City of Victoria, B. C., to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.

Dated this 17th day of April, A. D., 1902.

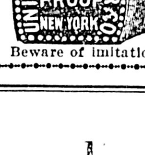
J. J. CAMBRIDGE,
District Registrar.
Westminster Registry, April 17th, 1902.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the matter of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the Northern one-half acre of Lot One (1), portion of Section Twenty-six (26), Esquimalt District. Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above lands, issued to Eliza Ferguson Meldram Hicks, on the 9th day of September, 1873, and numbered 877a.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General.

Be sure the heels are stamped.



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CALL 'PHONE 647

SEA LIONS AND HALIBUT.

Halibut Fisher Writes of Sea Lions of Vancouver Island Coast.

Capt. R. Dahl of the schooner Penguin, in a letter to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, says: "Some time ago I read an article in your paper about the sea lions in British Columbia, or rather in the waters of the Pacific ocean bordering the island of Vancouver; that said sea lions were a menace to the halibut, and that 2,900,000 halibut were destroyed yearly by the sea lions, which only ate the liver of the halibut. Now, I call the reader's attention to a few facts concerning the halibut. The halibut keeps itself in a depth of thirty or forty to 100 and 200 fathoms of water, and the sea lion, which has warm blood, cannot dive down to great depths, as they must breathe every one or two minutes and have no time to go down after halibut, as they would be suffocated or drowned like rats before they could get hold of the halibut or its liver. I had the opportunity a few weeks ago to be on the halibut banks west of Cape Flattery and witnessed the halibut fishing, and I also noticed a few sea lions around the vessel that ate the offal thrown overboard. The sea lions were evidently of the British type and came from the direction of Vancouver Island; probably they have already eaten up all the halibut there, but in the American waters they did not do any havoc or much damage. We have a fish in our waters called the maneater, or American blue shark. We caught two of them on our lines, and as they were tangled up somewhat in the fish lines the boys brought them on board. We hoisted them up the side of the schooner with tackles and cut up their bellies. We found in one shark's stomach two English sea lions averaging 150 pounds each, and in the other shark's stomach one English sea lion about 200 pounds. The American blue shark was about thirty feet long. We opened the sea lions but found only a few clams and small shell fish, not a halibut or a liver, not even a sign of so much as a Boer. After examination we let the sea lions drop in the water again, not thinking it worth while to bother ourselves with such poor, innocent, good-for-nothing beings."

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Victoria Day Celebration

MEETINGS

Of various sub-committees will be held as under in the Committee Room at

CITY HALL

Entries for Double Scull races, with lady coxwain, at Regatta, must be handed into Secretary not later than Thursday, 22nd May, at 12 noon.

All entries for Rifle Shooting, Yacht Racing and trap shooting must be sent in to the Secretaries of the respective clubs.

W. C. MORESBY, Secretary.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A destructive hurricane has swept over the province of Scinde, British India. Forty miles of the Scinde railroad were washed away, and bridges, houses and embankments disappeared. Fifty miles of telegraph wires were also destroyed. Many lives were lost.

By a cyclone in Texas on Sunday, ninety persons are reported killed. The storm struck Goliad and tore a strip through the town of two blocks wide and a mile long.

Several men have been arrested at Madrid on suspicion of being connected with an anarchist plot against King Alfonso.

A despatch to the London Times from Pretoria says that about 160 Boer leaders are assembled at Vereeniging, and their demeanor leads one to suppose that they will vote in favor of a continuation of hostilities, but the fact that the voting is by ballot might turn the balance on the side of peace. Whatever may be the direct result of the conference, says the correspondent, the end of the war is not distant, because the conference will probably be followed by numerous surrenders in various directions, while large bodies of troops will be poured into the districts.

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(Vancouver.)

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Fine White Cotton, 22 yards for	$1 00
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Linings.

Heavy Grey Silesia, per yard	7c
Heavier Quality Silesia, per yard	9c
Best Quality Waist Lining, regular 25c. line, per yard	12½c

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Notions.

Hooks and Eyes, per package	1c
Hair Pins, per box	1c
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Dress Steels, per dozen	8c
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Fine Flora Corsets, per pair	35c
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House Furnishings.

Lace Curtains, per pair, from	25c
Curtain Net, per yard, from	5c
Fine Linen Napkins, per dozen, from	50c
Colored Napkins, per dozen, from	25c
Fine Table Linen, per yard, from	20c

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Hosiery & Underwear

Ladies' Hose, per pair, from	10c
Children's Hose, per pair, from	5c
Ladies' Summer Vests, each, from	5c
All Ladies' White Wear at about	Half Price
Handkerchiefs, per dozen, from	15c

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Ladies' Blouses, from	25c
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Kid Gloves at	Specially Low Prices
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Fine Prints, 22 yards for	$1.00
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